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INTRODUCTION TO THE 1993 VOTERS PAMPHLET

It is my pleasure to introduce you to the 1993 Washington State Voters Pamphlet. I am especially pleased to extend a very special welcome to the 348,000 new voters who have registered under the state's "Motor Voter" program at numerous locations around Washington.

As you will note by the cover, this year's pamphlet commemorates the Sesquicentennial of the Oregon Trail. From 1843 to the early 1860s, more than 300,000 emigrants traveled over the 2,000-mile Oregon Trail to start a new life in the Pacific Northwest. Many of these travelers branched off the Trail in northern Oregon to head for what is now the state of Washington — founding towns such as Walla Walla, New Market (Tumwater), Claquato (near Chehalis), Steilacoom and Lynden.

These emigrants and their descendants brought to the West new thoughts about government and citizen rights. They established a unique state government which diffused power among a host of elective offices, and gave greater rights and privileges to the public.

This voters pamphlet is a direct result of the populist movement which grew from the new ideas of those who came here along the Oregon Trail. Washington's Constitution gives its citizens the right to a voters pamphlet containing information on issues appearing at each general election. Our state was one of the first in the nation to provide a voters pamphlet to its citizens.

And we continue on with this heritage of bringing new ideas and innovative programs to make state government and our elections system more accessible and convenient for citizens. In addition to Motor Voter, we have also seen reforms such as the expansion of the ongoing absentee ballot program to all citizens, a reduction in the 30-day voter registration deadline, and, in the coming year, voter registration by mail.

These efforts reflect our state's rich tradition of promoting voter awareness and voter participation. In the coming days, I urge you to join in this tradition by making use of this voters pamphlet. It contains extensive information on the measures appearing on the statewide ballot and on election procedures and voting. Please study it thoroughly, and be sure to cast your vote on November 2.

With best wishes,



Handwritten signature of Ralph Munro.

RALPH MUNRO
Secretary of State

Dear King County Resident:

In the 1992 General Election, King County voters approved County Charter amendments which provided for the consolidation of the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle (METRO) with King County. The consolidation requires restructuring the King County Council and its committee processes for certain regional issues, and includes the assumption by the County of the rights, powers, functions, and obligations presently held by METRO. The result will be an expansion of the regional role of King County to include decisions that impact cities as well as the unincorporated areas King County government has traditionally served.

To support these new responsibilities, voters approved the expansion of the King County Council from nine to thirteen members. The requisite redistricting of the County into thirteen Council Districts took place earlier this year adding four new Districts and proportionately redesigning the original nine.

The November General Election will determine the makeup of the governing body of this new, consolidated regional government which becomes a reality next year. In addition to the County Executive and the four new County Council positions, five of the original nine Council positions are on the ballot this November. Thus, voters will be making decisions on a majority of the members of this new governing body.

The men and women elected to these positions as well as those individuals chosen to serve on the governing bodies of cities, towns and special districts in the County, will make policy decisions that will greatly affect our region and your local communities. I urge you to read this Voters Pamphlet and study the issues and the candidates. You can play an important role in the shaping of King County Government by voting on Tuesday, November 2, 1993.



Handwritten signature of Sonia Soelter.

SONIA SOELTER
Acting Manager
King County Records and Elections Division

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Algona	Water Districts No. 1, 17, 19, 20, 45, 54, 83,
Beaux Arts Village	85, 86, 94, 97, 117, 119, 123, 125, 127
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Carnation	Rose Hill Water District
Skykomish	
Federal Way School District No. 210	Bryn Mawr-Lakeridge Water & Sewer
Vashon School District No. 402	Soos Creek Water & Sewer
Skykomish School District No. 404	Skyway Water & Sewer District
Riverview School District No. 407	
Fife School District No. 417	Eastgate Sewer District
Fire Protection Districts No. 1, 2, 5, 11, 13,	Highlands Sewer District
14, 17, 20, 24, 26, 28, 31, 34, 38, 40, 41, 44,	Stevens Pass Sewer
46, 47	Snoqualmie Pass Sewer
Snoqualmie Pass Fire Protection Dist. No. 51	Vashon Island Sewer District
Woodinville Fire & Life Safety District	Val-Vue Sewer District
	Vashon Airport District
	Vashon Cemetery District

Due to the nature of the publication process, this edition of the Voters Pamphlet may include some candidates who will not appear on the ballot for your area. To verify which offices will appear on your ballot, contact the Division of Records and Elections at 296-8683.

Secretary of State Toll-Free Hotlines

1-800-448-4881

TDD (Hearing Impaired) 1-800-422-8683

SAMPLE BALLOT*

State of Washington pg. 6

Initiative 593	Yes	No
Initiative 601	Yes	No
Initiative 602	Yes	No
H.J.R. 4200	Yes	No
H.J.R. 4201	Yes	No

33rd Legislative Dist. pg. 36

Position No. 1

Julia Patterson (D)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mike Pattison (R)	<input type="checkbox"/>

King County pg. 37

Executive

Gary Locke (D)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tim Hill (R)	<input type="checkbox"/>

Metropolitan King Co. Council pg. 38

District No. 7

Bob Stead (D)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pete von Reichbauer (R)	<input type="checkbox"/>

District No. 9

John Sliwa (D)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kent Pullen (R)	<input type="checkbox"/>

District No. 12

Debbie Berto (D)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brian Derdowski (R)	<input type="checkbox"/>

District No. 13

Mike Todd (D)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chris Vance (R)	<input type="checkbox"/>

Court of Appeals

Div. No. 1, Dist. No. 1 pg. 42

Position No. 2

Susan Randolph Agid	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Superior Court pg. 43

Position No. 18

Michael S. Spearman	<input type="checkbox"/>
David M. Abercrombie	<input type="checkbox"/>

Port of Seattle pg. 44

District No. 3

Paige Miller	<input type="checkbox"/>
George Tambllyn	<input type="checkbox"/>

City of Auburn pg. 45

Mayor

Chuck Booth	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pat Burns	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 2

Stacey Brothers	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Council, Pos. No. 4

Jeanne Barber	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Council, Pos. No. 5

Michael Weekley	<input type="checkbox"/>
Virginia Haugen	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 6

Richard E. (Rich) Wagner	<input type="checkbox"/>
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City of Federal Way pg. 48

Council, Pos. No. 2

Sam Yun	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hope Elder	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 4

Mahlon (Skip) Priest	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lyle W. Whipple	<input type="checkbox"/>

City of Federal Way (cont.)

Council, Pos. No. 6

John L. Cawley	<input type="checkbox"/>
Phil Watkins	<input type="checkbox"/>

City of Kent pg. 50

Mayor

Jim White	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leona Orr	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 2

Jon Johnson	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rodger Campbell	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 4

Tim Clark	<input type="checkbox"/>
Russ Stringham	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 6

Christi Houser	<input type="checkbox"/>
Connie Epperly	<input type="checkbox"/>

City of Milton pg. 52

Mayor

Leonard Sanderson	<input type="checkbox"/>
Christine Giron	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 1

Vince Butterfield	<input type="checkbox"/>
Harley G. Edwards	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 2

Ken Walters	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Council, Pos. No. 3

Tim Allan	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bonnie Ferguson Paulson	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 5

Gene Borgomainerio	<input type="checkbox"/>
W. Joe Beltz	<input type="checkbox"/>

City of Pacific pg. 55

Council, Pos. No. 2

George Savas	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Council, Pos. No. 4

Steven E. Saylor	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Council, Pos. No. 5

Loretta M. Furtwangler	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cheryl Bertsch	<input type="checkbox"/>

Council, Pos. No. 6

Monty Montgomery	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Council-at-Large, Pos. No. 7

Jack A. Dodge	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Enumclaw School Dist. No. 216 pg. 58

District No. 2

Michael M. Stensen	<input type="checkbox"/>
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District No. 5

Andy Willner	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Highline School Dist. No. 401 pg. 59

District No. 2

Ben Kodama	<input type="checkbox"/>
Michael Hansen	<input type="checkbox"/>

District No. 3

Mary Cline	<input type="checkbox"/>
Susan Santie	<input type="checkbox"/>

Renton School Dist. No. 403 pg. 60

District No. 2

Scott Kaseburg	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Renton School Dist. No. 403 (cont.)

District No. 5

Bev Barfield	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Auburn School Dist. No. 408 pg. 61

District No. 3

Dick Burkhardt	<input type="checkbox"/>
Zane S. Williams	<input type="checkbox"/>

District No. 5

Therald (Ted) L. Leonard	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Tahoma School Dist. No. 409 pg. 62

District No. 1

Alana (A.J.) McIalwain	<input type="checkbox"/>
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District No. 2

Zandra Jones Roberts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Johanna Nagel	<input type="checkbox"/>

District No. 5

Joe Vreeburg	<input type="checkbox"/>
Barbara K. Kennedy	<input type="checkbox"/>

Kent School Dist. No. 415 pg. 64

District No. 4

Edward H. Kosnoski	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bill Boyce	<input type="checkbox"/>

District No. 5

Sandy Collins	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Fire Protection Dist. No. 37 pg. 65

Position No. 1

Alice Matz	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jack H. Brandon	<input type="checkbox"/>

Fire Protection Dist. No. 39 pg. 66

Position No. 1

William (Bill) Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Fire Protection Dist. No. 43 pg. 66

Position No. 1

Mark D. Fern	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Water Dist. No. 111 pg. 67

Position No. 1

Delmar Goad	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Highline Water Dist. pg. 67

Position No. 1

Fred Curcio	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ken Ingalls	<input type="checkbox"/>

Midway Sewer Dist. pg. 68

Position No. 1

William J. Kemp	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Cedar River

Water & Sewer Dist. pg. 69

Position No. 1

Walter M. Canter	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Federal Way

Water & Sewer Dist. pg. 70

Position No. 1

Jerry Bergman	<input type="checkbox"/>
Beverly J. Tweddle	<input type="checkbox"/>

Hospital Dist. No. 1 pg. 71

District No. 1

Don Jacobson	<input type="checkbox"/>
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VOTING IN THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Voter qualifications

To register to vote, you must be:

- A citizen of the United States
- A legal resident of Washington state
- At least 18 years old by election day

In the state of Washington, you do not have to register by political party or declare political party membership to vote in the state's regular primaries or general elections.

Registration deadlines

You may register to vote at any time, but you must be registered at least **30 days** in advance of an election if you wish to vote **at a polling place** on election day.

You may also register between 30 and 15 days before an election, but you must do so at King County Records and Elections, 500 4th Avenue, Seattle, WA, and you will be required to vote by absentee ballot.

Where to register

- County Auditor or County Elections Department
- City or Town Clerk offices
- State Driver Licensing offices
- Public schools
- Most fire stations
- Most public libraries
- Most state agencies

Change of residence

If you move to a **new** county, you must complete a new voter registration.

If you move within the **same** county, you do not need to re-register, but you must request a transfer of your registration. This can be done by calling or writing your county elections department, or by requesting a transfer from a voter registrar (see "Where to register"). Failure to do so could cause cancellation of your voter registration.

NOTE: You must re-register or transfer your registration at least **30 days** before the election to be eligible to vote in your new precinct.

Absentee ballots

You may request an absentee ballot as early as 45 days before an election. (No absentee ballots are issued on election day except to hospitalized voters.)

Absentee ballots may be requested either by phone or by mail from the Elections Division. You may also apply for ongoing status — in writing — to automatically receive an absentee ballot before each election. For an ongoing application, call 296-1560.

NOTE: Absentee ballots must be signed and postmarked or delivered to the county elections officer **on or before election day**.

Election dates and poll hours

General elections are held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November. Polling hours for all primaries and elections are **7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

Voter information

If you need assistance with registration and voting, contact the King County Records and Elections Division at 296-8683.

Special services

The Office of the Secretary of State provides a toll-free voter information service to residents within the state of Washington. This service will be operated Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., beginning Tuesday October 12, and continuing through the day of the election, November 2. In many instances, assistance can be provided to those who have difficulty reading this pamphlet because their primary language is not English.

Voters may also call to request additional copies of the Voters Pamphlet or any of the following special versions of the Voters Pamphlet: Tape-cassette, Braille, Spanish-language or Chinese-language.

For more information, call the Secretary of State Voter Information Hotline at 1-800-448-4881.



INITIATIVE MEASURE 593

TO THE PEOPLE

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Initiative Measure 593 begins on page 16.

Statement for

It's time to get tougher on violent criminals.

The problem is clear: the overwhelming majority of violent crime is committed by less than 10% of violent criminals. And most of them will re-offend again when released.

CURRENT STATE LAW IS MUCH TOO WEAK

Under current state laws, the average prison term recommended for a child molester with two previous sex felony convictions on his record is just 9 years, six months. *That's for a third offense.*

For someone convicted of 1st degree robbery with two violent felony convictions already on his record, the recommended sentence is just 5 years. That doesn't count time off for "good behavior."

Why let proven repeat offenders out to offend again? Let's make sure that nobody becomes their 4th, 5th or 6th victim.

INITIATIVE 593 GETS TOUGH ON VIOLENT CRIME

Under 593, anyone convicted of a third violent offense goes to prison for life. No early release. No parole. No furloughs. No loopholes. Three strikes and you're out.

Initiative 593 brings accountability and the certainty of punishment back to our criminal justice system. In aiming at three time violent offenders, it targets the "worst of the worst" criminals who most deserve to be behind bars. With 593 that's where they'll stay. Without it, most of them won't.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall criminals who are convicted of "most serious offenses" on three occasions be sentenced to life in prison without parole?

The law as it now exists:

Criminal sentencing is now governed by the Sentencing Reform Act (Chapter 9.94A RCW). The judge determines the sentence for each person convicted of a crime, based on standard sentencing ranges set down in the law. The

INITIATIVE 593 SENDS THE RIGHT MESSAGE TO CRIMINALS

Not only does 593 keep our most serious offenders off the streets, it also sends a clear and unmistakable message to all other criminals in Washington: either obey the law or leave the state — for good.

People from all over the state are supporting 593 to make our streets and neighborhoods safer.

For more information, call (206) 462-7353.

Rebuttal of Statement against

593's opponents claim that violent offenders can already be locked up for life. The problem is, they aren't. That will change when 593 becomes law. Three time serious felons will stay behind bars for life. Only a pardon issued by the Governor could authorize their release.

The crimes covered by 593 are serious, violent felonies, not "bar fights" or car accidents. 593 keeps the "worst of the worst" in prison. Isn't that where they belong?

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

JOHN CARLSON, Washington Institute for Policy Studies, KVI Radio; IDA BALLASIOTES, State Representative; BRIAN EBERSOLE, Speaker, House of Representatives.

Advisory Committee: HELEN HARLOW, Tennis Shoe Brigade; PAM ROACH, State Senator; JOHN LADENBURG, Pierce County Prosecutor; TERRY MANGAN, Spokane Police Chief; TOM CAMPBELL, State Representative.

standard sentence range is determined by calculating an "offender score," which takes into account the nature of the crime committed as well as prior convictions for other crimes. Prior convictions for serious offenders increase the "offender score" and the standard sentencing range if there is a later conviction. Under special circumstances the judge may give a sentence outside the sentencing range. Current law does not require a specific sentence for repeat offenders.

The effect of Initiative Measure 593, if approved into law:

This initiative would create a new category of "persistent offenders" consisting of persons who have been convicted three or more times of "most serious crimes." The initiative specifies which crimes will be defined as "most serious crimes" (section 3 of the initiative), essentially consisting of all class A felonies and all class B felonies involving harm

or threats of harm to persons. When a "persistent offender" is sentenced, the initiative would require the judge to impose a sentence of total confinement for life without possibility of parole. For the crime of aggravated murder in the first degree, the initiative would preserve present law allowing the death sentence in some cases.

"Persistent offenders" would not be eligible for community custody, earned early release time, furlough, detention, partial confinement, work crew, work release, or any other form of early release. Judges and correctional facilities would be authorized to warn about the consequences of becoming a "persistent offender." The governor could still issue pardons or clemency orders on a case-by-case basis, and would be required to issue periodic reports on the progress of any offenders released through pardons or clemency.

Statement against

INITIATIVE 593: REVIVING FAILED AND REJECTED LAWS

Washington used to have a law like "three strikes you're out." It didn't work. It was extremely costly, locked up people who didn't need to be locked up to protect us, and locked up people long past the age when they were a risk. Washington's citizens and legislature have wisely chosen *not* to endorse recent, similar proposals.

INITIATIVE 593: VERY COSTLY, WITHOUT INCREASING OUR SAFETY

Repeat "serious offenders" after middle age are not the norm. 593 will unnecessarily result in expensive geriatric wards in our prisons for people who are long past the age when they are a threat.

593 needlessly forces us to spend nearly \$26,000 per person, per year, for an average of thirty years, to feed, clothe and house people who aren't a risk to us. Nearly \$800,000 for each person!

We can use current law *now* to put away, for a long time, those who need to be put away. 593 takes away the power to *choose* who should be locked up for life.

INITIATIVE 593: INCLUDES OFFENSES NOT MERITING LIFE IMPRISONMENT

Proponents claim 593 only applies to "most serious" offenses. Not true! 593 also includes reckless car accidents with injuries, as well as bar fights if a blow accidentally, recklessly injures someone.

INITIATIVE 593: NEEDLESSLY HIGH COST

593 falsely offers the appearance of a quick fix solution to a serious problem.

593 *won't* reduce crime. Repeat, serious offenders can *already* be locked up until they are no longer a danger.

593 *will* increase your taxes, or force the legislature to take away money from jobs, healthcare, education and other programs that *do* serve to prevent crime.

Rebuttal of Statement for

593's proponents aren't telling the whole truth. Current law already keeps violent criminals in prison an average of 15-25 years. Under 593, reckless car accidents with injuries are treated the same as rape and murder. \$12,000,000 will be required over the next few years for additional prisons for people *not* likely to re-offend. 70-year-olds don't repeat violent crimes, *but* have enormous medical costs. 593 plays on our fears, but is in truth expensive and ineffective.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

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Advisory Committee: REVEREND JOHN BOONSTRA, Executive Minister, Washington Association of Churches; JUDGE ROBERT WINSOR, retired; JUDGE SOLIE M. RINGOLD, retired; MONICA ZUCKER; JOHN M. JUNKER, Professor of Law.



INITIATIVE MEASURE 601

TO THE PEOPLE

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Initiative Measure 601 begins on page 25.

Statement for

I-601 SETS REASONABLE LIMITS ON TAXES AND SPENDING

Politicians can't control spending and Washington's citizens end up paying the bill through higher taxes. With I-601, the Taxpayer Protection Act, the people can set reasonable spending limits and give themselves the power to decide whether tax hikes are really needed.

THE PEOPLE CAN TAKE CONTROL OF TAXES AND SPENDING

I-601 is a cure for overspending, crisis cuts in programs and emergency tax increases:

- Voters would decide whether higher taxes are needed.
- Spending increases would be limited to the rate of inflation and state population growth.
- A "rainy day" fund would be created for economic bad times.

WE CAN'T AFFORD MORE OF THE SAME

Since 1985, nearly 20,000 new state employees have been hired. Washington's population has grown by about 27 percent since 1980, yet the state's budget has seen over a 140 percent increase since 1983. In 1990, the Legislature spent a billion dollar surplus.

Last November, Washingtonians thought they were voting for change, but they instead got more of the same. Despite nearly a billion dollars in new tax revenues for 1993-95, the Legislature and governor gave us a state budget requiring over a billion dollars in new taxes and fees.

NATIONAL NEWSPAPER PRAISES I-601

On July 9th, the following appeared in *The Wall Street*

Official Ballot Title:

Shall state expenditures be limited by inflation rates and population growth, and taxes exceeding the limit be subject to referendum?

The law as it now exists:

The state is currently operating under a law (Chapter 43.135 RCW, enacted by initiative in 1979), which limits state tax revenue in each fiscal year to an amount calculated by multiplying the previous year's revenue limit by the average state personal income ratio for the three calendar years immediately preceding the beginning of the fiscal year in question. For instance, the tax revenue limit for fiscal 1994 (which began on July 1, 1993) is the limit for fiscal 1993 multiplied by the average increase in personal income for calendar 1990, 1991, and 1992. The starting point for these calculations was the revenue received in fiscal 1979. Current law requires the Legislature to impose taxes and other

Journal: "I-601 separates those who want to tax and spend from those who want to restrain taxing and spending.... As one of the proponents of I-601 said to us, 'Who, in their right mind, would ever be opposed to such a thing?'"

We couldn't have said it better ourselves. Fifteen other states may be considering I-601 style resolutions. On November 2nd, vote I-601.

For more information, call 1-800-949-6646.

Rebuttal of Statement against

Opponents of I-601 don't think the people are intelligent enough to decide whether future taxes are really needed. They want us to trust politicians who consistently refuse to control spending.

California is in trouble because they limited taxes without limiting spending. I-601 limits spending, forcing government to cut waste and set priorities.

I-601 protects education. Under I-601, state spending would grow by about 8% the first two years. Harmful cuts would be unnecessary.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

LINDA SMITH, State Senator, member of Senate Ways & Means (Budget) Committee; GREG SEIFERT, Vancouver-based independent Insurance Agent; BOB NIX, Farmer, former Teacher and Volunteer Coordinator for the Washington Taxpayer Protection Coalition.

Advisory Committee: BUTCH SMITH, Spokane-area Real Estate Consultant, member of Washington Taxpayer Protection Coalition Steering Committee; JUDY NIX, Farmer, Community Leader and Volunteer Coordinator of the WTPC; LES WADDINGTON, Tri-Cities Businessman, member of WTPC Steering Committee; DAVID CUTBIRTH, Olympia-area Communications Consultant and Media Relations Coordinator for WTPC; DR. ANN DONNELLY, Geologist and Finance Director of WTPC.

charges in a manner that will ensure that estimated tax revenues do not exceed the revenue limit for each fiscal year. The limit may be exceeded only in case of an emergency declared by the Legislature with a two-thirds vote in each house. The budgeting and accounting laws prohibit the governor from allowing the expenditure of funds in excess of actual revenue received. The 1979 initiative also limits the extent to which the Legislature may impose new obligations on local governments without reimbursing them from state funds.

The effect of Initiative Measure 601, if approved into law:

Initiative Measure 601 would replace the current state tax revenue limit with a state expenditure limit calculated for each fiscal year by increasing the previous fiscal year's limit by a fiscal growth factor derived by averaging the sum of inflation and population change for each of the prior three fiscal years. State expenditures are those expenditures made from the state's general fund, excluding expenditures made from federal funds. The expenditure limit would first become effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1995. Fees paid to the state could not be increased beyond the fiscal growth factor without prior Legislature approval. The initiative would establish an emergency reserve fund and would require the Legislature to place in this fund any revenue received in excess of the new expenditure limit. Money could be taken from the fund only by a vote of two-thirds of the

Statement against

I-601 IS NOT THE ANSWER

Washington citizens deserve a strong economy, good paying jobs, a clean environment, safe neighborhoods, quality education, and improved health care. This initiative will NOT help us achieve these goals.

Every citizen should demand that taxes be raised prudently and public money be spent wisely. But this initiative is not the answer to legitimate calls for improved government efficiency and accountability.

CITIZEN NEEDS DON'T RELATE TO ARTIFICIAL FORMULA

I-601 would tie increases in state spending to an artificial formula that has no relationship to the actual needs of our citizens. The needs of those younger than 21 or older than 65 don't increase according to an arbitrary formula. There will be 55,000 new school children in the next two years and double-digit increases in health care costs. Crime on the streets doesn't stop because of some formula in Olympia.

DON'T SLIDE BACKWARD

We've got a state that works. Let's keep it that way. We've got a balanced budget without gimmicks. The voters previously limited state tax revenue to increases in personal income. There are limits on property tax and term limits on legislators. Our state made great strides this year in health care, civil service reform and access to college and job training opportunities. We don't need to make the same mistake California did.

members of each house of the Legislature. Excess emergency funds would be transferred to a new education construction fund. Any other use of this money would require a two-thirds vote of each house of the Legislature and approval by vote of the people.

After July 1, 1995, the Legislature could not take actions to increase state revenue or shift tax burdens except by a two-thirds vote of each house, and only then if the new revenue would not exceed the state expenditure limit for the fiscal year in question.

The Legislature could increase revenues in excess of the expenditure limit but such increases would be effective only with approval by the people at the next general election.

The state expenditure limit could be exceeded upon a declaration of an emergency approved by a two-thirds vote of each house and signed by the governor. The declaration must set forth the nature of the emergency, which could only be natural disasters requiring immediate government action. Additional taxes to meet the emergency could be imposed, but only for the length of the emergency or two years, whichever is shorter.

The Legislature would be prohibited from imposing responsibility for new programs or increased levels of service on any political subdivision of the state, unless the subdivision is fully reimbursed by specific appropriation by the state.

Parts of the initiative would go into effect immediately, and parts on July 1, 1995. Effective immediately, the Legislature would be prohibited from raising taxes, imposing new taxes, or shifting tax burdens without approval of the voters.

MAJORITY RULE PROTECTS EVERYONE

The requirement for two-thirds agreement in the legislature to respond to critical needs could very well put the control of the state's future in the hands of a small group of legislators with very extreme views. Majority rule protects everyone.

Vote NO on I-601.

For more information, call (206) 625-0511.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Under I-601, as few as 17 senators would decide what's best for all Washingtonians. That's great for politicians, but bad for citizens. Voters will be shut out by special interests and their lobbyists.

I-601 applies only to the general fund. 200 other funds, including gas taxes, are not covered. Another opportunity for special interest lobbyists.

I-601's meaningless statistics ignore the real needs of our children and senior citizens.

Don't be fooled. Vote NO!

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INITIATIVE MEASURE 602

TO THE PEOPLE

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of Initiative Measure 602 begins on page 28.

Statement for

INITIATIVE 602 PROTECTS TAXPAYERS AND CONTROLS GOVERNMENT SPENDING

INITIATIVE 602 FIGHTS RAMPANT INEFFICIENCY AND WASTE IN GOVERNMENT

Even before this year's tax increases, state government had nearly \$1 billion more of your tax dollars than ever before. Yet, they still increased spending and burdened Washingtonians with an additional \$1.2 BILLION in new taxes.

I-602 encourages state government to set priorities — funding essential needs, including K-12 and higher education, and public safety first! Inefficient and wasteful uses of your tax dollars — like \$44,000 fish tanks, expensive office buildings, excessive travel, and unnecessary bureaucracy — would meet the chopping-block.

INITIATIVE 602 SAFEGUARDS WASHINGTON'S FUTURE

Reasonable controls that work. I-602 controls how much money the state can collect and then limits spending to that level. Experience shows that limits based on spending alone allow too many loopholes for higher taxes and spending.

Living within taxpayers' means. Our state budget has nearly tripled in the last 12 years . . . that's faster than hard-working taxpayers can afford. Under I-602, government spending rises only if the people's financial condition improves.

Making government accountable. I-602 requires a 60% legislative vote to increase taxes within the limit. New taxes are limited to two years.

Planning ahead. I-602 establishes a "savings account" to

Official Ballot Title:

Shall state revenue collections and state expenditures be limited by a factor based on personal income, and certain revenue measures repealed?

The law as it now exists:

The state is currently operating under a law (Chapter 43.135 RCW, enacted by initiative in 1979), which limits state tax revenue in each fiscal year to an amount calculated by multiplying the previous year's revenue limit by the average state personal income ratio for the three calendar years immediately preceding the beginning of the fiscal year in question. For instance, the tax revenue limit for fiscal 1994 (which began on July 1, 1993) is the limit for fiscal 1993 multiplied by the average increase in personal income for calendar 1990, 1991, and 1992. The starting point for these calculations was the revenue received in fiscal 1979. Current law requires the Legislature to impose taxes and other

protect vital public services during tough times — avoiding unnecessary tax increases. The cycle of simply taxing and spending more will be broken.

TAKE BACK OUR GOVERNMENT AND SEND POLITICIANS A MESSAGE . . . VOTE YES ON INITIATIVE 602

Too many elected officials believe government is for the politicians, not the people.

I-602 is a common-sense, reasonable plan to make government serve the public . . . and gives taxpayers the protection they deserve.

Make government accountable and control taxes, call 1-800-487-1693.

Rebuttal of Statement against

I-602 is a "boon" to Washington taxpayers who are fed up with wasteful spending by bureaucrats and politicians! Alcohol and Tobacco's share of 1993's \$1.2 billion tax increase is less than 17%. Who pays the rest? You do!

That's why 450,000 Washingtonians signed petitions to put I-602 on the ballot!

PUT AN END TO \$44,000 FISH TANKS AND JET-SETTING GOVERNMENT BUREAUCRATS!

Send Politicians a message.

YES ON I-602!

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charges in a manner that will insure that estimated tax revenues do not exceed the revenue limit for each fiscal year. The limit may be exceeded only in case of an emergency declared by the Legislature with a two-thirds vote in each house. The budgeting and accounting laws prohibit the governor from allowing the expenditure of funds in excess of actual revenue received. The 1979 initiative also limits the extent to which the Legislature may impose new obligations on local governments without reimbursing them from state funds.

The effect of Initiative Measure 602, if approved into law:

Initiative Measure 602 would replace the current state tax revenue limit with a new state revenue collection limit. This limit would be calculated for each fiscal year by multiplying the total state personal income for the fiscal year in question by a "limitation factor." The limitation factor would be calculated by dividing the sum of total state revenue collections for the fiscal years 1988 through 1992 by the sum of total state personal income for those same fiscal years. The new limit would take effect with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993.

The state would be prohibited from expending funds derived from state revenue collections in excess of the state revenue collection limit for the fiscal year in question. The state treasurer,

except in case of emergency, would be prohibited from issuing any checks or warrants which would result in an expenditure in excess of the revenue collection limit.

A revenue reserve fund would be created to hold any excess funds collected above amounts anticipated and budgeted, or any undesignated and unspent funds in the treasury. The treasurer could transfer money from this fund in years when revenue falls short of the amount anticipated and budgeted by the Legislature. Further revenue collections that exceed the limits of the revenue reserve fund would be paid into a general obligation debt reduction account.

The revenue collection limit could be exceeded upon a declaration of an emergency by the governor and a law approved by a vote of seventy-five percent of each house of the Legislature. No emergency could last longer than twenty-four months. In an emergency, revenue collections could be increased enough to meet the emergency, but no more.

The Legislature would be prohibited from imposing new responsibilities on political subdivisions, or programs previously provided by the state, or increased levels of service in existing programs, except where the Legislature fully reimburses the political subdivision. The Legislature could not meet its reimbursement obligation by authorizing new local revenue collections.

The initiative would repeal all revenue actions by the state to increase revenues over those in effect on December 31, 1992.

The initiative would go into effect immediately, and would place a revenue collection limit on the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993.

Statement against

I-602 IS NOT THE ANSWER

Washington citizens deserve a strong economy, good paying jobs, a clean environment, safe neighborhoods, quality education, and improved health care. This initiative will NOT help us achieve these goals.

Every citizen should demand that taxes be raised prudently and public money be spent wisely. But this initiative is not the answer to legitimate calls for improved government efficiency and accountability.

INDISCRIMINATE HARM

The blanket repeal of all 1993 tax and fee increases would spread indiscriminate harm across the state. The roll-back of alcohol and tobacco taxes will leave 198,000 Washingtonians without health care and cripple health care reform efforts. Two-thousand university students and 8,000 community and technical college students will lose their place in class, including 5,000 laid-off workers seeking job training.

Many other programs such as criminal justice assistance to local government and public school support would likely be reduced as the legislature rebalances state spending. Those politicians who claim they can find plenty of money for worthwhile programs by eliminating waste are not telling the truth.

LEGISLATIVE GRIDLOCK

The requirement that 75% of the legislature approve spending increases for critical needs would encourage a small number of legislators to demand changes in long-established law in trade for their vote on the budget.

ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO WIN

Passage of I-602 would result in unfair, unrepresentative, gridlocked government. A clear threat to our quality of life, and a boon to alcohol and tobacco companies.

Vote NO on I-602.

For more information, call (206) 625-0511.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Lobbyists wrote I-602. Special interests paid \$250,000 to collect the signatures. Why? Because I-602 cuts their taxes. Under their plan, as few as 13 senators would decide what's best for all Washingtonians.

I-602 also cuts essential services like college and university enrollments, retraining for unemployed workers, and it makes health care reform unworkable.

Send a real message. We won't let alcohol, tobacco and insurance lobbyists control our government.

We won't be fooled. Vote NO!

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4200

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of House Joint Resolution 4200 begins on page 34.

Vote cast by the 1993 Legislature on final passage:

House: Yeas, 67; Nays, 31; Absent or not voting, 0.

Senate: Yeas, 43; Nays, 4; Excused, 2; Absent or not voting, 0.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall counties and public hospital districts be permitted to employ chaplains for their hospitals, health care facilities, and hospices?

has been confusing. Although state prisons and mental institutions may hire chaplains, similar authority for public hospitals is unclear.

THE ISSUE

Public hospitals are asking voters for clear approval to hire chaplains. The chaplains would arrange for spiritual advisors when requested by a patient or a patient's family, and be available immediately in an emergency.

For more information, call (206) 281-7211.

Rebuttal of Statement against

House Joint Resolution 4200 will not result in particular religious beliefs being used as a standard for hiring decisions, for this would be illegal under anti-discrimination laws and our Constitution. Further, it is not government-sponsored religion, therefore it is not a violation of separation of church and state. The precedent of hiring chaplains for state institutions has already been set. Why should this be denied to the sick and dying in our public hospitals?

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The law as it now exists:

The state Constitution prohibits the use of any public money or property for religious worship, exercise, or instruction, or for the support of any religious establishment. However, the current Constitution contains an exception permitting the state to employ chaplains for its custodial, correctional, and mental institutions, at the discretion of the legislature. Counties and public hospital districts are not covered by this exception.

Statement against

Don't be misled by good intentions or emotional appeals. Public hospitals, using your tax dollars, will have to make personnel decisions based on religion. How can this be done fairly? It can't.

HJR 4200 is an unwise and dangerous precedent. Washington state citizens have always respected and understood the need to keep religion and government separate. HJR 4200 is the wrong step toward mixing these two institutions.

There is no need for HJR 4200. Any taxpayer-supported medical facility can already hire professional staff to provide emotional support in time of need. HJR 4200 goes far beyond what is necessary or appropriate. Public hospitals will spend public funds—your tax dollars—to select one religion over others. We should not use tax dollars to eliminate the distinction between church and state.

Please keep our history in mind. Remember one reason why people came here was for the right to practice their beliefs free of government dictates. No matter how innocent sounding HJR 4200 is, the fact remains it is government sponsored religion. And once started, where does this stop? Will counties and cities be required to select one religion to support their employees or be on-site for persons injured in car accidents?

There is a better way than HJR 4200. Tell your hospital administrators to make their decisions based on merit and patient needs, not religious preference.

Keep Washington state where it belongs—in the forefront of separation of church and state, not taxpayer-supported pulpits.

The effect of House Joint Resolution 4200, if approved into law:

The effect of approving this constitutional amendment would be to extend to counties and public hospital districts the authority to employ chaplains for their hospital districts, health care facilities, and hospices, at the discretion of the legislature. In effect, the exception now provided for chaplains in certain state institutions would be extended to hospitals and other health care facilities owned and operated by counties or public hospital districts. The legislature would decide whether and how to implement this change.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Using your tax dollars to eliminate the separation between religion and government is a bad idea. Doing so when the "problem" isn't caused by government is even worse.

The proponents claim there aren't enough volunteer chaplains for hospitals. Does that require spending your money making religious-based personnel decisions? The churches should fix this problem, not taxpayers.

Public hospitals already hire professional staff to provide emotional support. HJR 4200 is an unnecessary use of taxpayer's money.

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4201

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Note: The ballot title and explanatory statement were written by the Attorney General as required by law. The complete text of House Joint Resolution 4201 begins on page 34.

Vote cast by the 1993 Legislature on final passage:

House: Yeas, 97; Nays, 0; Excused, 1; Absent or not voting, 0.
Senate: Yeas, 44; Nays, 1; Excused, 4; Absent or not voting, 0.

Statement for

WHAT ARE "CASES IN EQUITY"

"Cases in equity" include cases in which a court issues an injunction or restraining order to prevent some harm from occurring. Domestic violence cases, in which protective orders may be issued, are important examples of "cases in equity."

COURTS USE EQUITY POWERS TO PROTECT FAMILIES AND CHILDREN

The issuance of protective orders is one of the most effective tools that judges and law enforcement agencies have for protecting families and children from threats of violence. It is especially important that these protective orders be available right when they are needed. Delay can lead to tragedy.

THE WASHINGTON COMMISSION ON TRIAL COURTS HAS RECOMMENDED THIS AMENDMENT

Under the current wording of the state constitution, there is some question as to whether courts other than the Superior Courts may exercise jurisdiction in "cases in equity." Unfortunately, Superior Courts are seriously overcrowded and cases may encounter significant delays. The Washington Commission on Trial Courts, appointed by the State Supreme Court, has recommended that District Courts also hear "cases in equity." The Legislature has agreed with this recommendation and concluded that *both* the District and Superior Courts should have jurisdiction over these cases, particularly when they involve domestic violence.

Official Ballot Title:

Shall the constitutional provision which gives jurisdiction in "cases in equity" to superior courts be amended to include district courts?

DISTRICT COURTS SHOULD HEAR EQUITY CASES

This constitutional amendment will clarify that District Courts, as well as Superior Courts, may hear "cases in equity." It will promote the swift issuance of protective orders. The amendment will allow greater flexibility in dealing with court congestion, will promote efficiency in the courts, and will help insure that our domestic violence laws do their job. This amendment deserves your support.

Rebuttal of Statement against

Sponsored by non-attorneys and attorneys, HJR 4201 will make our courts more available to citizens needing protection. District courts are accessible to the public because they are located not only in the county seat, but also in outlying areas — 66 locations statewide. And, while many have heavy caseloads, district courts are generally less congested than superior courts and can more quickly handle requests for protective orders arising from family violence and harassment situations.

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The law as it now exists:

In the English legal system inherited by the United States, there were two separate court systems: courts of law and courts in equity. These two types of courts followed somewhat different procedures and exercised different types of powers. Certain powers were held only by courts in equity, such as the power to issue an injunction or the power to rescind a contract. The Washington state Constitution did not establish separate courts of law and courts in equity, and in the United States the distinction between legal powers and equitable powers has grown less and less clear. However, the state Constitution currently provides that "the superior courts will have jurisdiction in . . . all 'cases in equity,'" subject to review on appeal. The legislature has created a system of district courts to handle smaller and simpler cases, but the Constitution currently does not provide that district courts may exercise powers historically reserved to courts in equity.

Statement against

THIS AMENDMENT WILL NOT DECONGEST OR MAKE THE DISTRICT COURTS, OR THE SUPERIOR COURTS MORE EFFICIENT

HJR 4201, will not improve or decongest our antiquated courts! This proposed Constitutional Amendment was sponsored by lawyer-legislators and is self-serving! Vote NO on this!

THE CONSTITUTION SHOULD NOT BE USED FOR A BAND-AID CURE

The Constitution, Article IV, section 6, *should not* be amended to allow cases in equity in District Courts. This will shift the overburden of the Superior Courts to the overburdened District Courts. Our District Courts are congested, inefficient, and not serving the public expediently now, why burden them more?

THE SPONSORS OF THIS AMENDMENT HAVE HAD TWO YEARS, OR MORE, TO CORRECT THE INEFFICIENCIES AND CONGESTION IN BOTH THE SUPERIOR AND DISTRICT COURTS

Two years ago these same lawyer/legislators tried to shift the burden of the Superior Courts to the District Courts by removing equity from the Superior Court, and it failed. This time they think by adding equity to the District Court it will reduce the congestion. It won't! It will make both courts more congested, and thereby justify their *adding* of more courts! Both courts are overcrowded now! We suggested then to have equity in both courts and to work with them for

The effect of House Joint Resolution 4201, if approved into law:

The effect of approving this measure would be to amend the Constitution to provide that district courts may exercise equity powers to the same extent as superior courts. The proposed amendment would allow either a superior court or a district court, for instance, to issue an injunction or to specifically require a contract to be performed. The amendment would not change the current system allowing appeals from judgments entered by superior courts or district courts.

complete reform of the judiciary and the courts. They did neither! Now the case overload in District Court today is causing more court congestion, and inefficiency than we had two years ago. They certainly don't need more burden from the Superior Court!

COURT REFORM IS NEEDED NOW, NOT MORE COURTS, OR MONEY, OR AMENDING OF THE CONSTITUTION

For most efficient use of the courts remove family law and child custody to family counseling and have all Superior Courts open from 8AM to 5PM, five days a week.

HJR 4201 is a bad idea. Vote No!

For more information call (206) 938-0234.

Rebuttal of Statement for

Yes, we need judicial reform but putting equity in our overloaded District Court will not make it more efficient or less congested!

Our overburdened and inefficient courts: the legislature should study the proposal of removing Family-law (divorce, child custody etc.) from adversarial proceedings. This would eliminate more than half of the Superior Courts overload, hence no need to transfer cases to the overloaded District Court (or no need for more courts).

Vote No!

Voters Pamphlet Statement Prepared by:

GENE GOOSMAN, Founder of Equal Justice For All.



COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 593

AN ACT Relating to persistent offenders; reenacting and amending RCW 9.94A.120 and 9.94A.030; creating new sections; and prescribing penalties.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. FINDINGS AND INTENT. (1) The people of the state of Washington find and declare that:

(a) Community protection from persistent offenders is a priority for any civilized society.

(b) Nearly fifty percent of the criminals convicted in Washington state have active prior criminal histories.

(c) Punishments for criminal offenses should be proportionate to both the seriousness of the crime and the prior criminal history.

(d) The public has the right and the responsibility to determine when to impose a life sentence.

(2) By sentencing three-time, most serious offenders to prison for life without the possibility of parole, the people intend to:

(a) Improve public safety by placing the most dangerous criminals in prison.

(b) Reduce the number of serious, repeat offenders by tougher sentencing.

(c) Set proper and simplified sentencing practices that both the victims and persistent offenders can understand.

(d) Restore public trust in our criminal justice system by directly involving the people in the process.

Sec. 2. RCW 9.94A.120 and 1992 c 145 s 7, 1992 c 75 s 2, and 1992 c 45 s 5 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

ENFORCEMENT OF MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCES. When a person is convicted of a felony, the court shall impose punishment as provided in this section.

(1) Except as authorized in subsections (2), (4), (5), and (7) of this section, the court shall impose a sentence within the sentence range for the offense.

(2) The court may impose a sentence outside the standard sentence range for that offense if it finds, considering the purpose of this chapter, that there are substantial and compelling reasons justifying an exceptional sentence.

(3) Whenever a sentence outside the standard range is imposed, the court shall set forth the reasons for its decision in written findings of fact and conclusions of law. A sentence outside the standard range shall be a determinate sentence.

(4) A persistent offender shall be sentenced to a term of

total confinement for life without the possibility of parole or, when authorized by RCW 10.95.030 for the crime of aggravated murder in the first degree, sentenced to death, notwithstanding the maximum sentence under any other law. An offender convicted of the crime of murder in the first degree shall be sentenced to a term of total confinement not less than twenty years. An offender convicted of the crime of assault in the first degree or assault of a child in the first degree where the offender used force or means likely to result in death or intended to kill the victim shall be sentenced to a term of total confinement not less than five years. An offender convicted of the crime of rape in the first degree shall be sentenced to a term of total confinement not less than five years (, and shall not be eligible for furlough, work release or other authorized leave of absence from the correctional facility during such minimum five-year term except for the purpose of commitment to an inpatient treatment facility)). The foregoing minimum terms of total confinement are mandatory and shall not be varied or modified as provided in subsection (2) of this section. In addition, all offenders subject to the provisions of this subsection shall not be eligible for community custody, earned early release time, furlough, home detention, partial confinement, work crew, work release, or any other form of early release as defined under RCW 9.94A.150 (1), (2), (3), (5), (7), or (8), or any other form of authorized leave of absence from the correctional facility while not in the direct custody of a corrections officer or officers during such minimum terms of total confinement except in the case of an offender in need of emergency medical treatment or for the purpose of commitment to an inpatient treatment facility in the case of an offender convicted of the crime of rape in the first degree.

(5) In sentencing a first-time offender the court may waive the imposition of a sentence within the sentence range and impose a sentence which may include up to ninety days of confinement in a facility operated or utilized under contract by the county and a requirement that the offender refrain from committing new offenses. The sentence may also include up to two years of community supervision, which, in addition to crime-related prohibitions, may include requirements that the offender perform any one or more of the following:

(a) Devote time to a specific employment or occupation;

(b) Undergo available outpatient treatment for up to two years, or inpatient treatment not to exceed the standard range of confinement for that offense;

(c) Pursue a prescribed, secular course of study or vocational training;

(d) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify the court or the community corrections officer prior to any change in the offender's address or employment;

(e) Report as directed to the court and a community corrections officer; or

(f) Pay all court-ordered legal financial obligations as



COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 593 (cont.)

provided in RCW 9.94A.030 and/or perform community service work.

(6) If a sentence range has not been established for the defendant's crime, the court shall impose a determinate sentence which may include not more than one year of confinement, community service work, a term of community supervision not to exceed one year, and/or other legal financial obligations. The court may impose a sentence which provides more than one year of confinement if the court finds, considering the purpose of this chapter, that there are substantial and compelling reasons justifying an exceptional sentence.

(7)(a)(i) When an offender is convicted of a sex offense other than a violation of RCW 9A.44.050 or a sex offense that is also a serious violent offense and has no prior convictions for a sex offense or any other felony sex offenses in this or any other state, the sentencing court, on its own motion or the motion of the state or the defendant, may order an examination to determine whether the defendant is amenable to treatment.

The report of the examination shall include at a minimum the following: The defendant's version of the facts and the official version of the facts, the defendant's offense history, an assessment of problems in addition to alleged deviant behaviors, the offender's social and employment situation, and other evaluation measures used. The report shall set forth the sources of the evaluator's information.

The examiner shall assess and report regarding the defendant's amenability to treatment and relative risk to the community. A proposed treatment plan shall be provided and shall include, at a minimum:

(A) Frequency and type of contact between offender and therapist;

(B) Specific issues to be addressed in the treatment and description of planned treatment modalities;

(C) Monitoring plans, including any requirements regarding living conditions, lifestyle requirements, and monitoring by family members and others;

(D) Anticipated length of treatment; and

(E) Recommended crime-related prohibitions.

The court on its own motion may order, or on a motion by the state shall order, a second examination regarding the offender's amenability to treatment. The evaluator shall be selected by the party making the motion. The defendant shall pay the cost of any second examination ordered unless the court finds the defendant to be indigent in which case the state shall pay the cost.

(ii) After receipt of the reports, the court shall consider whether the offender and the community will benefit from use of this special sexual offender sentencing alternative

and consider the victim's opinion whether the offender should receive a treatment disposition under this subsection. If the court determines that this special sex offender sentencing alternative is appropriate, the court shall then impose a sentence within the sentence range. If this sentence is less than eight years of confinement, the court may suspend the execution of the sentence and impose the following conditions of suspension:

(A) The court shall place the defendant on community supervision for the length of the suspended sentence or three years, whichever is greater; and

(B) The court shall order treatment for any period up to three years in duration. The court in its discretion shall order outpatient sex offender treatment or inpatient sex offender treatment, if available. A community mental health center may not be used for such treatment unless it has an appropriate program designed for sex offender treatment. The offender shall not change sex offender treatment providers or treatment conditions without first notifying the prosecutor, the community corrections officer, and the court, and shall not change providers without court approval after a hearing if the prosecutor or community corrections officer object to the change. In addition, as conditions of the suspended sentence, the court may impose other sentence conditions including up to six months of confinement, not to exceed the sentence range of confinement for that offense, crime-related prohibitions, and requirements that the offender perform any one or more of the following:

(I) Devote time to a specific employment or occupation;

(II) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify the court or the community corrections officer prior to any change in the offender's address or employment;

(III) Report as directed to the court and a community corrections officer;

(IV) Pay all court-ordered legal financial obligations as provided in RCW 9.94A.030, perform community service work, or any combination thereof; or

(V) Make recoupment to the victim for the cost of any counseling required as a result of the offender's crime.

(iii) The sex offender therapist shall submit quarterly reports on the defendant's progress in treatment to the court and the parties. The report shall reference the treatment plan and include at a minimum the following: Dates of attendance, defendant's compliance with requirements, treatment activities, the defendant's relative progress in treatment, and any other material as specified by the court at sentencing.

(iv) At the time of sentencing, the court shall set a treatment termination hearing for three months prior to the anticipated date for completion of treatment. Prior to the treatment termination hearing, the treatment professional and community corrections officer shall submit written reports to the court and parties regarding the defendant's compliance with treatment and monitoring requirements,



COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 593 (cont.)

and recommendations regarding termination from treatment, including proposed community supervision conditions. Either party may request and the court may order another evaluation regarding the advisability of termination from treatment. The defendant shall pay the cost of any additional evaluation ordered unless the court finds the defendant to be indigent in which case the state shall pay the cost. At the treatment termination hearing the court may: (A) Modify conditions of community supervision, and either (B) terminate treatment, or (C) extend treatment for up to the remaining period of community supervision.

(v) The court may revoke the suspended sentence at any time during the period of community supervision and order execution of the sentence if: (A) The defendant violates the conditions of the suspended sentence, or (B) the court finds that the defendant is failing to make satisfactory progress in treatment. All confinement time served during the period of community supervision shall be credited to the offender if the suspended sentence is revoked.

(vi) Except as provided in (a)(vii) of this subsection, after July 1, 1991, examinations and treatment ordered pursuant to this subsection shall only be conducted by sex offender treatment providers certified by the department of health pursuant to chapter 18.155 RCW.

(vii) A sex offender therapist who examines or treats a sex offender pursuant to this subsection (7) does not have to be certified by the department of health pursuant to chapter 18.155 RCW if the court finds that: (A) The offender has already moved to another state or plans to move to another state for reasons other than circumventing the certification requirements; (B) no certified providers are available for treatment within a reasonable geographical distance of the offender's home; and (C) the evaluation and treatment plan comply with this subsection (7) and the rules adopted by the department of health.

For purposes of this subsection, "victim" means any person who has sustained emotional, psychological, physical, or financial injury to person or property as a result of the crime charged. "Victim" also means a parent or guardian of a victim who is a minor child unless the parent or guardian is the perpetrator of the offense.

(b) When an offender is convicted of any felony sex offense committed before July 1, 1987, and is sentenced to a term of confinement of more than one year but less than six years, the sentencing court may, on its own motion or on the motion of the offender or the state, order the offender committed for up to thirty days to the custody of the secretary of social and health services for evaluation and report to the court on the offender's amenability to treatment at these facilities. If the secretary of social and health

services cannot begin the evaluation within thirty days of the court's order of commitment, the offender shall be transferred to the state for confinement pending an opportunity to be evaluated at the appropriate facility. The court shall review the reports and may order that the term of confinement imposed be served in the sexual offender treatment program at the location determined by the secretary of social and health services or the secretary's designee, only if the report indicates that the offender is amenable to the treatment program provided at these facilities. The offender shall be transferred to the state pending placement in the treatment program. Any offender who has escaped from the treatment program shall be referred back to the sentencing court.

If the offender does not comply with the conditions of the treatment program, the secretary of social and health services may refer the matter to the sentencing court. The sentencing court shall commit the offender to the department of corrections to serve the balance of the term of confinement.

If the offender successfully completes the treatment program before the expiration of the term of confinement, the court may convert the balance of confinement to community supervision and may place conditions on the offender including crime-related prohibitions and requirements that the offender perform any one or more of the following:

- (i) Devote time to a specific employment or occupation;
- (ii) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify the court or the community corrections officer prior to any change in the offender's address or employment;
- (iii) Report as directed to the court and a community corrections officer;
- (iv) Undergo available outpatient treatment.

If the offender violates any of the terms of community supervision, the court may order the offender to serve out the balance of the community supervision term in confinement in the custody of the department of corrections.

After June 30, 1993, this subsection (b) shall cease to have effect.

(c) When an offender commits any felony sex offense on or after July 1, 1987, and is sentenced to a term of confinement of more than one year but less than six years, the sentencing court may, on its own motion or on the motion of the offender or the state, request the department of corrections to evaluate whether the offender is amenable to treatment and the department may place the offender in a treatment program within a correctional facility operated by the department.

Except for an offender who has been convicted of a violation of RCW 9A.44.040 or 9A.44.050, if the offender completes the treatment program before the expiration of his or her term of confinement, the department of corrections may request the court to convert the balance of confinement to community supervision and to place con-



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ditions on the offender including crime-related prohibitions and requirements that the offender perform any one or more of the following:

- (i) Devote time to a specific employment or occupation;
- (ii) Remain within prescribed geographical boundaries and notify the court or the community corrections officer prior to any change in the offender's address or employment;
- (iii) Report as directed to the court and a community corrections officer;
- (iv) Undergo available outpatient treatment.

If the offender violates any of the terms of his or her community supervision, the court may order the offender to serve out the balance of his or her community supervision term in confinement in the custody of the department of corrections.

Nothing in (c) of this subsection shall confer eligibility for such programs for offenders convicted and sentenced for a sex offense committed prior to July 1, 1987. This subsection (c) does not apply to any crime committed after July 1, 1990.

(d) Offenders convicted and sentenced for a sex offense committed prior to July 1, 1987, may, subject to available funds, request an evaluation by the department of corrections to determine whether they are amenable to treatment. If the offender is determined to be amenable to treatment, the offender may request placement in a treatment program within a correctional facility operated by the department. Placement in such treatment program is subject to available funds.

(8)(a) When a court sentences a person to a term of total confinement to the custody of the department of corrections for an offense categorized as a sex offense or a serious violent offense committed after July 1, 1988, but before July 1, 1990, assault in the second degree, assault of a child in the second degree, any crime against a person where it is determined in accordance with RCW 9.94A.125 that the defendant or an accomplice was armed with a deadly weapon at the time of commission, or any felony offense under chapter 69.50 or 69.52 RCW, committed on or after July 1, 1988, the court shall in addition to the other terms of the sentence, sentence the offender to a one-year term of community placement beginning either upon completion of the term of confinement or at such time as the offender is transferred to community custody in lieu of earned early release in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). When the court sentences an offender under this subsection to the statutory maximum period of confinement then the community placement portion of the sentence shall consist entirely of such community custody to which the offender

may become eligible, in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). Any period of community custody actually served shall be credited against the community placement portion of the sentence.

(b) When a court sentences a person to a term of total confinement to the custody of the department of corrections for an offense categorized as a sex offense or serious violent offense committed on or after July 1, 1990, the court shall in addition to other terms of the sentence, sentence the offender to community placement for two years or up to the period of earned early release awarded pursuant to RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2), whichever is longer. The community placement shall begin either upon completion of the term of confinement or at such time as the offender is transferred to community custody in lieu of earned early release in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). When the court sentences an offender under this subsection to the statutory maximum period of confinement then the community placement portion of the sentence shall consist entirely of the community custody to which the offender may become eligible, in accordance with RCW 9.94A.150 (1) and (2). Any period of community custody actually served shall be credited against the community placement portion of the sentence. Unless a condition is waived by the court, the terms of community placement for offenders sentenced pursuant to this section shall include the following conditions:

- (i) The offender shall report to and be available for contact with the assigned community corrections officer as directed;
- (ii) The offender shall work at department of corrections-approved education, employment, and/or community service;
- (iii) The offender shall not consume controlled substances except pursuant to lawfully issued prescriptions;
- (iv) An offender in community custody shall not unlawfully possess controlled substances;
- (v) The offender shall pay supervision fees as determined by the department of corrections; and
- (vi) The residence location and living arrangements are subject to the prior approval of the department of corrections during the period of community placement.

(c) The court may also order any of the following special conditions:

- (i) The offender shall remain within, or outside of, a specified geographical boundary;
- (ii) The offender shall not have direct or indirect contact with the victim of the crime or a specified class of individuals;
- (iii) The offender shall participate in crime-related treatment or counseling services;
- (iv) The offender shall not consume alcohol; or
- (v) The offender shall comply with any crime-related prohibitions.

(d) Prior to transfer to, or during, community placement, any conditions of community placement may be removed or modified so as not to be more restrictive by the sentencing



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court, upon recommendation of the department of corrections.

(9) If the court imposes a sentence requiring confinement of thirty days or less, the court may, in its discretion, specify that the sentence be served on consecutive or intermittent days. A sentence requiring more than thirty days of confinement shall be served on consecutive days. Local jail administrators may schedule court-ordered intermittent sentences as space permits.

(10) If a sentence imposed includes payment of a legal financial obligation, the sentence shall specify the total amount of the legal financial obligation owed, and shall require the offender to pay a specified monthly sum toward that legal financial obligation. Restitution to victims shall be paid prior to any other payments of monetary obligations. Any legal financial obligation that is imposed by the court may be collected by the department, which shall deliver the amount paid to the county clerk for credit. The offender's compliance with payment of legal financial obligations shall be supervised by the department. All monetary payments ordered shall be paid no later than ten years after the last date of release from confinement pursuant to a felony conviction or the date the sentence was entered. Independent of the department, the party or entity to whom the legal financial obligation is owed shall have the authority to utilize any other remedies available to the party or entity to collect the legal financial obligation. Nothing in this section makes the department, the state, or any of its employees, agents, or other persons acting on their behalf liable under any circumstances for the payment of these legal financial obligations. If an order includes restitution as one of the monetary assessments, the county clerk shall make disbursements to victims named in the order.

(11) Except as provided under RCW 9.94A.140(1) and 9.94A.142(1), a court may not impose a sentence providing for a term of confinement or community supervision or community placement which exceeds the statutory maximum for the crime as provided in chapter 9A.20 RCW.

(12) All offenders sentenced to terms involving community supervision, community service, community placement, or legal financial obligation shall be under the supervision of the secretary of the department of corrections or such person as the secretary may designate and shall follow explicitly the instructions of the secretary including reporting as directed to a community corrections officer, remaining within prescribed geographical boundaries, notifying the community corrections officer of any change in the offender's address or employment, and paying the supervision fee assessment.

(13) All offenders sentenced to terms involving community

supervision, community service, or community placement under the supervision of the department of corrections shall not own, use, or possess firearms or ammunition. Offenders who own, use, or are found to be in actual or constructive possession of firearms or ammunition shall be subject to the appropriate violation process and sanctions. "Constructive possession" as used in this subsection means the power and intent to control the firearm or ammunition. "Firearm" as used in this subsection means a weapon or device from which a projectile may be fired by an explosive such as gunpowder.

(14) The sentencing court shall give the offender credit for all confinement time served before the sentencing if that confinement was solely in regard to the offense for which the offender is being sentenced.

(15) A departure from the standards in RCW 9.94A.400 (1) and (2) governing whether sentences are to be served consecutively or concurrently is an exceptional sentence subject to the limitations in subsections (2) and (3) of this section, and may be appealed by the defendant or the state as set forth in RCW 9.94A.210 (2) through (6).

(16) The court shall order restitution whenever the offender is convicted of a felony that results in injury to any person or damage to or loss of property, whether the offender is sentenced to confinement or placed under community supervision, unless extraordinary circumstances exist that make restitution inappropriate in the court's judgment. The court shall set forth the extraordinary circumstances in the record if it does not order restitution.

(17) As a part of any sentence, the court may impose and enforce an order that relates directly to the circumstances of the crime for which the offender has been convicted, prohibiting the offender from having any contact with other specified individuals or a specific class of individuals for a period not to exceed the maximum allowable sentence for the crime, regardless of the expiration of the offender's term of community supervision or community placement.

(18) In any sentence of partial confinement, the court may require the defendant to serve the partial confinement in work release, in a program of home detention, on work crew, or in a combined program of work crew and home detention.

(19) All court-ordered legal financial obligations collected by the department and remitted to the county clerk shall be credited and paid where restitution is ordered. Restitution shall be paid prior to any other payments of monetary obligations.

Sec. 3. RCW 9.94A.030 and 1992 c 145 s 6 and 1992 c 75 s 1 are each reenacted and amended to read as follows:

DEFINITIONS. Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, the definitions in this section apply throughout this chapter.

(1) "Collect," or any derivative thereof, "collect and remit," or "collect and deliver," when used with reference to the



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department of corrections, means that the department is responsible for monitoring and enforcing the offender's sentence with regard to the legal financial obligation, receiving payment thereof from the offender, and, consistent with current law, delivering daily the entire payment to the superior court clerk without depositing it in a departmental account.

(2) "Commission" means the sentencing guidelines commission.

(3) "Community corrections officer" means an employee of the department who is responsible for carrying out specific duties in supervision of sentenced offenders and monitoring of sentence conditions.

(4) "Community custody" means that portion of an inmate's sentence of confinement in lieu of earned early release time served in the community subject to controls placed on the inmate's movement and activities by the department of corrections.

(5) "Community placement" means that period during which the offender is subject to the conditions of community custody and/or postrelease supervision, which begins either upon completion of the term of confinement (postrelease supervision) or at such time as the offender is transferred to community custody in lieu of earned early release. Community placement may consist of entirely community custody, entirely postrelease supervision, or a combination of the two.

(6) "Community service" means compulsory service, without compensation, performed for the benefit of the community by the offender.

(7) "Community supervision" means a period of time during which a convicted offender is subject to crime-related prohibitions and other sentence conditions imposed by a court pursuant to this chapter or RCW 46.61.524. For first-time offenders, the supervision may include crime-related prohibitions and other conditions imposed pursuant to RCW 9.94A.120(5). For purposes of the interstate compact for out-of-state supervision of parolees and probationers, RCW 9.95.270, community supervision is the functional equivalent of probation and should be considered the same as probation by other states.

(8) "Confinement" means total or partial confinement as defined in this section.

(9) "Conviction" means an adjudication of guilt pursuant to Titles 10 or 13 RCW and includes a verdict of guilty, a finding of guilty, and acceptance of a plea of guilty.

(10) "Court-ordered legal financial obligation" means a sum of money that is ordered by a superior court of the state of Washington for legal financial obligations which may include restitution to the victim, statutorily imposed crime

victims' compensation fees as assessed pursuant to RCW 7.68.035, court costs, county or interlocal drug funds, court-appointed attorneys' fees, and costs of defense, fines, and any other financial obligation that is assessed to the offender as a result of a felony conviction.

(11) "Crime-related prohibition" means an order of a court prohibiting conduct that directly relates to the circumstances of the crime for which the offender has been convicted, and shall not be construed to mean orders directing an offender affirmatively to participate in rehabilitative programs or to otherwise perform affirmative conduct.

(12)(a) "Criminal history" means the list of a defendant's prior convictions, whether in this state, in federal court, or elsewhere. The history shall include, where known, for each conviction (i) whether the defendant has been placed on probation and the length and terms thereof; and (ii) whether the defendant has been incarcerated and the length of incarceration.

(b) "Criminal history" shall always include juvenile convictions for sex offenses and shall also include a defendant's other prior convictions in juvenile court if: (i) The conviction was for an offense which is a felony or a serious traffic offense and is criminal history as defined in RCW 13.40.020(6)(a); (ii) the defendant was fifteen years of age or older at the time the offense was committed; and (iii) with respect to prior juvenile class B and C felonies or serious traffic offenses, the defendant was less than twenty-three years of age at the time the offense for which he or she is being sentenced was committed.

(13) "Department" means the department of corrections.

(14) "Determinate sentence" means a sentence that states with exactitude the number of actual years, months, or days of total confinement, of partial confinement, of community supervision, the number of actual hours or days of community service work, or dollars or terms of a legal financial obligation. The fact that an offender through "earned early release" can reduce the actual period of confinement shall not affect the classification of the sentence as a determinate sentence.

(15) "Disposable earnings" means that part of the earnings of an individual remaining after the deduction from those earnings of any amount required by law to be withheld. For the purposes of this definition, "earnings" means compensation paid or payable for personal services, whether denominated as wages, salary, commission, bonuses, or otherwise, and, notwithstanding any other provision of law making the payments exempt from garnishment, attachment, or other process to satisfy a court-ordered legal financial obligation, specifically includes periodic payments pursuant to pension or retirement programs, or insurance policies of any type, but does not include payments made under Title 50 RCW, except as provided in RCW 50.40.020 and 50.40.050, or Title 74 RCW.

(16) "Drug offense" means:

(a) Any felony violation of chapter 69.50 RCW except



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possession of a controlled substance (RCW 69.50.401(d)) or forged prescription for a controlled substance (RCW 69.50.403);

(b) Any offense defined as a felony under federal law that relates to the possession, manufacture, distribution, or transportation of a controlled substance; or

(c) Any out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony classified as a drug offense under (a) of this subsection.

(17) "Escape" means:

(a) Escape in the first degree (RCW 9A.76.110), escape in the second degree (RCW 9A.76.120), willful failure to return from furlough (RCW 72.66.060), willful failure to return from work release (RCW 72.65.070), or willful failure to be available for supervision by the department while in community custody (RCW 72.09.310); or

(b) Any federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony classified as an escape under (a) of this subsection.

(18) "Felony traffic offense" means:

(a) Vehicular homicide (RCW 46.61.520), vehicular assault (RCW 46.61.522), eluding a police officer (RCW 46.61.024), or felony hit-and-run injury-accident (RCW 46.52.020(4)); or

(b) Any federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony classified as a felony traffic offense under (a) of this subsection.

(19) "Fines" means the requirement that the offender pay a specific sum of money over a specific period of time to the court.

(20)(a) "First-time offender" means any person who is convicted of a felony (i) not classified as a violent offense or a sex offense under this chapter, or (ii) that is not the manufacture, delivery, or possession with intent to manufacture or deliver a controlled substance classified in schedule I or II that is a narcotic drug or the selling for profit ~~((off))~~ of any controlled substance or counterfeit substance classified in schedule I, RCW 69.50.204, except leaves and flowering tops of marijuana, and except as provided in (b) of this subsection, who previously has never been convicted of a felony in this state, federal court, or another state, and who has never participated in a program of deferred prosecution for a felony offense.

(b) For purposes of (a) of this subsection, a juvenile adjudication for an offense committed before the age of fifteen years is not a previous felony conviction except for adjudications of sex offenses.

(21) "Most serious offense" means any of the following felonies or a felony attempt to commit any of the following

felonies, as now existing or hereafter amended:

(a) Any felony defined under any law as a class A felony or criminal solicitation of or criminal conspiracy to commit a class A felony;

(b) Assault in the second degree;

(c) Assault of a child in the second degree;

(d) Child molestation in the second degree;

(e) Controlled substance homicide;

(f) Extortion in the first degree;

(g) Incest when committed against a child under age fourteen;

(h) Indecent liberties;

(i) Kidnapping in the second degree;

(j) Leading organized crime;

(k) Manslaughter in the first degree;

(l) Manslaughter in the second degree;

(m) Promoting prostitution in the first degree;

(n) Rape in the third degree;

(o) Robbery in the second degree;

(p) Sexual exploitation;

(q) Vehicular assault;

(r) Vehicular homicide, when proximately caused by the driving of any vehicle by any person while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug as defined by RCW 46.61.502, or by the operation of any vehicle in a reckless manner;

(s) Any other class B felony offense with a finding of sexual motivation, as "sexual motivation" is defined under this section;

(t) Any other felony with a deadly weapon verdict under RCW 9.94A.125;

(u) Any felony offense in effect at any time prior to the effective date of this section, that is comparable to a most serious offense under this subsection, or any federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony classified as a most serious offense under this subsection.

(22) "Nonviolent offense" means an offense which is not a violent offense.

~~((22))~~ (23) "Offender" means a person who has committed a felony established by state law and is eighteen years of age or older or is less than eighteen years of age but whose case has been transferred by the appropriate juvenile court to a criminal court pursuant to RCW 13.40.110. Throughout this chapter, the terms "offender" and "defendant" are used interchangeably.

~~((23))~~ (24) "Partial confinement" means confinement for no more than one year in a facility or institution operated or utilized under contract by the state or any other unit of government, or, if home detention or work crew has been ordered by the court, in an approved residence, for a substantial portion of each day with the balance of the day spent in the community. Partial confinement includes work release, home detention, work crew, and a combination of work crew and home detention as defined in this section.



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~~((24))~~ (25) "Persistent offender" is an offender who:

(a) Has been convicted in this state of any felony considered a most serious offense; and

(b) Has, before the commission of the offense under (a) of this subsection, been convicted as an offender on at least two separate occasions, whether in this state or elsewhere, of felonies that under the laws of this state would be considered most serious offenses and would be included in the offender score under RCW 9.94A.360; provided that of the two or more previous convictions, at least one conviction must have occurred before the commission of any of the other most serious offenses for which the offender was previously convicted.

(26) "Postrelease supervision" is that portion of an offender's community placement that is not community custody.

~~((25))~~ (27) "Restitution" means the requirement that the offender pay a specific sum of money over a specific period of time to the court as payment of damages. The sum may include both public and private costs. The imposition of a restitution order does not preclude civil redress.

~~((26))~~ (28) "Serious traffic offense" means:

(a) Driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug (RCW 46.61.502), actual physical control while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug (RCW 46.61.504), reckless driving (RCW 46.61.500), or hit-and-run an attended vehicle (RCW 46.52.020(5)); or

(b) Any federal, out-of-state, county, or municipal conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be classified as a serious traffic offense under (a) of this subsection.

~~((27))~~ (29) "Serious violent offense" is a subcategory of violent offense and means:

(a) Murder in the first degree, homicide by abuse, murder in the second degree, assault in the first degree, kidnapping in the first degree, or rape in the first degree, assault of a child in the first degree, or an attempt, criminal solicitation, or criminal conspiracy to commit one of these felonies; or

(b) Any federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony classified as a serious violent offense under (a) of this subsection.

~~((28))~~ (30) "Sentence range" means the sentencing court's discretionary range in imposing a nonappealable sentence.

~~((29))~~ (31) "Sex offense" means:

(a) A felony that is a violation of chapter 9A.44 RCW or RCW 9A.64.020 or 9.68A.090 or that is, under chapter 9A.28 RCW, a criminal attempt, criminal solicitation, or criminal conspiracy to commit such crimes;

(b) A felony with a finding of sexual motivation under

RCW 9.94A.127; or

(c) Any federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony classified as a sex offense under (a) of this subsection.

~~((30))~~ (32) "Sexual motivation" means that one of the purposes for which the defendant committed the crime was for the purpose of his or her sexual gratification.

~~((31))~~ (33) "Total confinement" means confinement inside the physical boundaries of a facility or institution operated or utilized under contract by the state or any other unit of government for twenty-four hours a day, or pursuant to RCW 72.64.050 and 72.64.060.

~~((32))~~ (34) "Victim" means any person who has sustained emotional, psychological, physical, or financial injury to person or property as a direct result of the crime charged.

~~((33))~~ (35) "Violent offense" means:

(a) Any of the following felonies, as now existing or hereafter amended: Any felony defined under any law as a class A felony or an attempt to commit a class A felony, criminal solicitation of or criminal conspiracy to commit a class A felony, manslaughter in the first degree, manslaughter in the second degree, indecent liberties if committed by forcible compulsion, kidnapping in the second degree, arson in the second degree, assault in the second degree, assault of a child in the second degree, extortion in the first degree, robbery in the second degree, vehicular assault, and vehicular homicide, when proximately caused by the driving of any vehicle by any person while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug as defined by RCW 46.61.502, or by the operation of any vehicle in a reckless manner;

(b) Any conviction for a felony offense in effect at any time prior to July 1, 1976, that is comparable to a felony classified as a violent offense in (a) of this subsection; and

(c) Any federal or out-of-state conviction for an offense that under the laws of this state would be a felony classified as a violent offense under (a) or (b) of this subsection.

~~((34))~~ (36) "Work crew" means a program of partial confinement consisting of civic improvement tasks for the benefit of the community of not less than thirty-five hours per week that complies with RCW 9.94A.135. The civic improvement tasks shall be performed on public property or on private property owned or operated by nonprofit entities, except that, for emergency purposes only, work crews may perform snow removal on any private property. The civic improvement tasks shall have minimal negative impact on existing private industries or the labor force in the county where the service or labor is performed. The civic improvement tasks shall not affect employment opportunities for people with developmental disabilities contracted through sheltered workshops as defined in RCW 82.04.385. Only those offenders sentenced to a facility operated or utilized under contract by a county are eligible to participate on a work crew. Offenders sentenced for a sex offense as defined in subsection ~~((29))~~ (31) of this section are not



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eligible for the work crew program.

~~((35))~~ (37) "Work release" means a program of partial confinement available to offenders who are employed or engaged as a student in a regular course of study at school. Participation in work release shall be conditioned upon the offender attending work or school at regularly defined hours and abiding by the rules of the work release facility.

~~((36))~~ (38) "Home detention" means a program of partial confinement available to offenders wherein the offender is confined in a private residence subject to electronic surveillance. Home detention may not be imposed for offenders convicted of a violent offense, any sex offense, any drug offense, reckless burning in the first or second degree as defined in RCW 9A.48.040 or 9A.48.050, assault in the third degree as defined in RCW 9A.36.031, assault of a child in the third degree, unlawful imprisonment as defined in RCW 9A.40.040, or harassment as defined in RCW 9A.46.020. Home detention may be imposed for offenders convicted of possession of a controlled substance (RCW 69.50.401(d)) or forged prescription for a controlled substance (RCW 69.50.403) if the offender fulfills the participation conditions set forth in this subsection and is monitored for drug use by treatment alternatives to street crime (TASC) or a comparable court or agency-referred program.

(a) Home detention may be imposed for offenders convicted of burglary in the second degree as defined in RCW 9A.52.030 or residential burglary conditioned upon the offender: (i) Successfully completing twenty-one days in a work release program, (ii) having no convictions for burglary in the second degree or residential burglary during the preceding two years and not more than two prior convictions for burglary or residential burglary, (iii) having no convictions for a violent felony offense during the preceding two years and not more than two prior convictions for a violent felony offense, (iv) having no prior charges of escape, and (v) fulfilling the other conditions of the home detention program.

(b) Participation in a home detention program shall be conditioned upon: (i) The offender obtaining or maintaining current employment or attending a regular course of school study at regularly defined hours, or the offender performing parental duties to offspring or minors normally in the custody of the offender, (ii) abiding by the rules of the home detention program, and (iii) compliance with court-ordered legal financial obligations. The home detention program may also be made available to offenders whose charges and convictions do not otherwise disqualify them if medical or health-related conditions, concerns or treatment would be better addressed under the home detention program, or where the health and welfare of the offender, other inmates, or staff would be jeopardized by the offender's incarceration.

tion. Participation in the home detention program for medical or health-related reasons is conditioned on the offender abiding by the rules of the home detention program and complying with court-ordered restitution.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. OFFENDER NOTIFICATION AND WARNING. A sentencing judge, law enforcement agency, or state or local correctional facility may, but is not required to, give offenders who have been convicted of an offense that is a most serious offense as defined in RCW 9.94A.030 either written or oral notice, or both, of the sanctions imposed upon persistent offenders. General notice of these sanctions and the conditions under which they may be imposed may, but need not, be given in correctional facilities maintained by state or local agencies. This section is enacted to provide authority, but not requirement, for the giving of such notice in every conceivable way without incurring liability to offenders or third parties.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. GOVERNOR'S POWERS. (1) Nothing in this act shall ever be interpreted or construed as to reduce or eliminate the power of the governor to grant a pardon or clemency to any offender on an individual case-by-case basis. However, the people recommend that any offender subject to total confinement for life without the possibility of parole not be considered for release until the offender has reached the age of at least sixty years old and has been judged to be no longer a threat to society. The people further recommend that sex offenders be held to the utmost scrutiny under this subsection regardless of age.

(2) Nothing in this section shall ever be interpreted or construed to grant any release for the purpose of reducing prison overcrowding. Furthermore, the governor shall provide twice yearly reports on the activities and progress of offenders subject to total confinement for life without the possibility of parole who are released through executive action during his or her tenure. These reports shall continue for not less than ten years after the release of the offender or upon the death of the released offender.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. SHORT TITLE. This act shall be known and may be cited as the persistent offender accountability act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. CAPTIONS. Captions as used in this act do not constitute any part of the law.



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AN ACT Relating to greater governmental fiscal responsibility through limitations on expenditures and taxation; amending RCW 43.135.010, 43.135.060, and 43.84.092; adding new sections to chapter 43.135 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.88 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 43.88.520, 43.88.525, 43.88.530, 43.88.535, 43.88.540, 43.135.020, 43.135.030, 43.135.040, 43.135.050, 43.135.070, 43.135.900, and 43.135.901; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Sec. 1. RCW 43.135.010 and 1980 c 1 s 1 are each amended to read as follows:

The people of the state of Washington hereby find and declare:

(1) The continuing increases in our state tax burden and the corresponding growth of state government is contrary to the interest of the people of the state of Washington.

(2) It is necessary to limit the rate of growth of state government while assuring adequate funding of essential services, including basic education as defined by the legislature.

(3) The current budgetary system in the state of Washington lacks stability. The system encourages crisis budgeting and results in cutbacks during lean years and overspending during surplus years.

(4) It is therefore the intent of this chapter to:

(a) Establish a limit (~~((which))~~) on state expenditures that will assure that the growth rate of state ((tax revenue)) expenditures does not exceed the growth rate of inflation and state ((personal income)) population;

(b) Assure that local governments are provided funds adequate to render those services deemed essential by their citizens;

(c) Assure that the state does not impose (~~((on any taxing district;))~~) responsibility on local governments for new programs or increased levels of service under existing programs unless the costs thereof are paid by the state;

(d) Provide for adjustment of the limit when costs of a program are transferred between the state and another political entity; (~~((and))~~)

(e) Establish a procedure for exceeding this limit in emergency situations;

(f) Provide for voter approval of tax increases; and

(g) Avoid overfunding and underfunding state programs by providing stability, consistency, and long-range planning.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. (1) The state shall not expend from the general fund during any fiscal year state moneys in excess of the state expenditure limit established under this chapter.

(2) Except pursuant to a declaration of emergency under section 4 of this act or pursuant to an appropriation under section 3(4)(b) of this act, the state treasurer shall not issue or redeem any check, warrant, or voucher that will result in a state general fund expenditure for any fiscal year in excess of the state expenditure limit established under this chapter. A violation of this subsection constitutes a violation of RCW 43.88.290 and shall subject the state treasurer to the penalties provided in RCW 43.88.300.

(3) The state expenditure limit for any fiscal year shall be the previous fiscal year's state expenditure limit increased by a percentage rate that equals the fiscal growth factor.

(4) For purposes of computing the state expenditure limit for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1995, the phrase "the previous fiscal year's state expenditure limit" means the total state expenditures from the state general fund, not including federal funds, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1989, plus the fiscal growth factor. This calculation is then computed for the state expenditure limit for fiscal years 1992, 1993, 1994, and 1995, and as required under section 4(4) of this act.

(5) Each November, the office of financial management shall adjust the expenditure limit for the preceding fiscal year based on actual expenditures and known changes in the fiscal growth factor and then project an expenditure limit for the next two fiscal years. The office of financial management shall notify the legislative fiscal committees of all adjustments to the state expenditure limit and projections of future expenditure limits.

(6) "Fiscal growth factor" means the average of the sum of inflation and population change for each of the prior three fiscal years.

(7) "Inflation" means the percentage change in the implicit price deflator for the United States for each fiscal year as published by the federal bureau of labor statistics.

(8) "Population change" means the percentage change in state population for each fiscal year as reported by the office of financial management.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. (1) The emergency reserve fund is established in the state treasury. During each fiscal year, the state treasurer shall deposit in the emergency reserve fund all general fund—state revenues in excess of the state expenditure limit for that fiscal year. Deposits shall be made at the end of each fiscal quarter based on projections of state revenues and the state expenditure limit.

(2) The legislature may appropriate moneys from the emergency reserve fund only with approval of at least two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature, and then only if the appropriation does not cause total expen-



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ditures to exceed the state expenditure limit under this chapter.

(3) The emergency reserve fund balance shall not exceed five percent of biennial general fund—state revenues as projected by the official state revenue forecast. Any balance in excess of five percent shall be transferred on a quarterly basis by the state treasurer to the education construction fund hereby created in the treasury.

(4)(a) Funds may be appropriated from the education construction fund exclusively for common school construction or higher education construction.

(b) Funds may be appropriated for any other purpose only if approved by a two-thirds vote of each house of the legislature and if approved by a vote of the people at the next general election. An appropriation approved by the people under this subsection shall result in an adjustment to the state expenditure limit only for the fiscal period for which the appropriation is made and shall not affect any subsequent fiscal period.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. (1) After July 1, 1995, any action or combination of actions by the legislature that raises state revenue or requires revenue-neutral tax shifts may be taken only if approved by a two-thirds vote of each house, and then only if state expenditures in any fiscal year, including the new revenue, will not exceed the state expenditure limits established under this chapter.

(2)(a) If the legislative action under subsection (1) of this section will result in expenditures in excess of the state expenditure limit, then the action of the legislature shall not take effect until approved by a vote of the people at a November general election. The office of financial management shall adjust the state expenditure limit by the amount of additional revenue approved by the voters under this section. This adjustment shall not exceed the amount of revenue generated by the legislative action during the first full fiscal year in which it is in effect. The state expenditure limit shall be adjusted downward upon expiration or repeal of the legislative action.

(b) The ballot title for any vote of the people required under this section shall be substantially as follows:

"Shall taxes be imposed on in order to allow a spending increase above last year's authorized spending adjusted for inflation and population increases?"

(3)(a) The state expenditure limit may be exceeded upon declaration of an emergency for a period not to exceed twenty-four months by a law approved by a two-thirds vote

of each house of the legislature and signed by the governor. The law shall set forth the nature of the emergency, which is limited to natural disasters that require immediate government action to alleviate human suffering and provide humanitarian assistance. The state expenditure limit may be exceeded for no more than twenty-four months following the declaration of the emergency and only for the purposes contained in the emergency declaration.

(b) Additional taxes required for an emergency under this section may be imposed only until thirty days following the next general election, unless an extension is approved at that general election. The additional taxes shall expire upon expiration of the declaration of emergency. The legislature shall not impose additional taxes for emergency purposes under this subsection unless funds in the education construction fund have been exhausted.

(c) The state or any political subdivision of the state shall not impose any tax on intangible property listed in RCW 84.36.070 as that statute exists on January 1, 1993.

(4) If the cost of any state program or function is shifted from the state general fund on or after January 1, 1993, to another source of funding, or if moneys are transferred from the state general fund to another fund or account, the office of financial management shall lower the state expenditure limit to reflect the shift.

Sec. 5. RCW 43.135.060 and 1990 2nd ex.s. c 1 s 601 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) After July 1, 1995, the legislature shall not impose responsibility for new programs or increased levels of service under existing programs on any ((taxing district)) political subdivision of the state unless the ((districts are reimbursed for the costs thereof by the state.

((2)) The amount of increased local revenue and state appropriations and distributions that are received or could be received by a taxing district as a result of legislative enactments after 1979 shall be included as reimbursement under this section. This subsection does not affect litigation pending on January 1, 1990.

((3)) subdivision is fully reimbursed by specific appropriation by the state for the costs of the new programs or increases in service levels.

((2)) If by order of any court, or legislative enactment, the costs of a federal or ((taxing district)) local government program are transferred to or from the state, the otherwise applicable state ((tax revenue)) expenditure limit shall be increased or decreased, as the case may be, by the dollar amount of the costs of the program.

((4)) ((3)) The legislature, in consultation with the office of financial management or its successor agency, shall determine the costs of any new programs or increased levels of service under existing programs imposed on any ((taxing district)) political subdivision or transferred to or from the state.

((5)) ((4)) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to



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the costs incurred for voting devices or machines under RCW 29.04.200.

Sec. 6. RCW 43.84.092 and 1992 c 235 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) All earnings of investments of surplus balances in the state treasury shall be deposited to the treasury income account, which account is hereby established in the state treasury.

(2) Monthly, the state treasurer shall distribute the earnings credited to the treasury income account. The state treasurer shall credit the general fund with all the earnings credited to the treasury income account except:

(a) The following accounts and funds shall receive their proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's and fund's average daily balance for the period: The capitol building construction account, the Cedar River channel construction and operation account, the Central Washington University capital projects account, the charitable, educational, penal and reformatory institutions account, the common school construction fund, the county criminal justice assistance account, the county sales and use tax equalization account, the data processing building construction account, the deferred compensation administrative account, the deferred compensation principal account, the department of retirement systems expense account, the Eastern Washington University capital projects account, the education construction fund, the emergency reserve fund, the federal forest revolving account, the industrial insurance premium refund account, the judges' retirement account, the judicial retirement administrative account, the judicial retirement principal account, the local leasehold excise tax account, the local sales and use tax account, the medical aid account, the municipal criminal justice assistance account, the municipal sales and use tax equalization account, the natural resources deposit account, the perpetual surveillance and maintenance account, the public employees' retirement system plan I account, the public employees' retirement system plan II account, the Puyallup tribal settlement account, the resource management cost account, the site closure account, the special wildlife account, the state employees' insurance account, the state employees' insurance reserve account, the state investment board expense account, the state investment board commingled trust fund accounts, the supplemental pension account, the teachers' retirement system plan I account, the teachers' retirement system plan II account, the University of Washington bond retirement fund, the University of Washington building account, the volunteer fire fighters' relief and pension principal account, the vol-

unteer fire fighters' relief and pension administrative account, the Washington judicial retirement system account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' system plan I retirement account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' system plan II retirement account, the Washington state patrol retirement account, the Washington state university building account, the Washington State University bond retirement fund, and the Western Washington University capital projects account. Earnings derived from investing balances of the agricultural permanent fund, the normal school permanent fund, the permanent common school fund, the scientific permanent fund, and the state university permanent fund shall be allocated to their respective beneficiary accounts. All earnings to be distributed under this subsection (2)(a) shall first be reduced by the allocation to the state treasurer's service fund pursuant to RCW 43.08.190.

(b) The following accounts and funds shall receive eighty percent of their proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's or fund's average daily balance for the period: The central Puget Sound public transportation account, the city hardship assistance account, the county arterial preservation account, the economic development account, the essential rail assistance account, the essential rail banking account, the ferry bond retirement fund, the grade crossing protective fund, the high capacity transportation account, the highway bond retirement fund, the highway construction stabilization account, the highway safety account, the motor vehicle fund, the motorcycle safety education account, the pilotage account, the public transportation systems account, the Puget Sound capital construction account, the Puget Sound ferry operations account, the recreational vehicle account, the rural arterial trust account, the special category C account, the state patrol highway account, the transfer relief account, the transportation capital facilities account, the transportation equipment fund, the transportation fund, the transportation improvement account, and the urban arterial trust account.

(3) In conformance with Article II, section 37 of the state Constitution, no treasury accounts or funds shall be allocated earnings without the specific affirmative directive of this section.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. A new section is added to chapter 43.88 RCW to read as follows:

The budget document submitted by the governor to the legislature under RCW 43.88.030 shall reflect the state expenditure limit established under chapter 43.135 RCW and shall not propose expenditures in excess of that limit.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. No fee may increase in any fiscal year by a percentage in excess of the fiscal growth factor for that fiscal year without prior legislative approval.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. The following acts or parts of



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acts are each repealed:

- (1) RCW 43.88.520 and 1981 c 280 s 1;
- (2) RCW 43.88.525 and 1991 sp.s. c 13 s 13, 1985 c 57 s 52, & 1981 c 280 s 2;
- (3) RCW 43.88.530 and 1982 1st ex.s. c 36 s 2 & 1981 c 280 s 3;
- (4) RCW 43.88.535 and 1982 1st ex.s. c 36 s 3 & 1981 c 280 s 4;
- (5) RCW 43.88.540 and 1984 c 138 s 11 & 1981 c 280 s 5;
- (6) RCW 43.135.020 and 1980 c 1 s 2;
- (7) RCW 43.135.030 and 1980 c 1 s 3;
- (8) RCW 43.135.040 and 1980 c 1 s 4;
- (9) RCW 43.135.050 and 1980 c 1 s 5;
- (10) RCW 43.135.070 and 1980 c 1 s 7;
- (11) RCW 43.135.900 and 1980 c 1 s 8; and
- (12) RCW 43.135.901 and 1980 c 1 s 9.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. This chapter may be known and cited as the taxpayer protection act.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 11. Sections 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, and 10 of this act are each added to chapter 43.135 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 13. (1) After the effective date of this section, the state may raise existing taxes, impose new taxes as authorized by law, or make revenue-neutral tax shifts only with approval of a majority of the voters at a November general election. The requirement for a vote at a November general election is in addition to any other requirements established by law.

(2) This section expires on July 1, 1995.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 14. (1) Sections 8 and 13 of this act are necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

(2) Sections 1 through 7 and 9 through 12 of this act shall take effect July 1, 1995.



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AN ACT Relating to limitations on state revenues; amending RCW 43.135.060 and 43.84.092; adding new sections to chapter 43.135 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 82.33 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.88 RCW; creating new sections; repealing RCW 43.88.520, 43.88.525, 43.88.530, 43.88.535, 43.88.540, 43.135.010, 43.135.020, 43.135.030, 43.135.040, 43.135.050, 43.135.070, 43.135.900, and 43.135.901; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

NEW SECTION. Sec. 1. FINDINGS AND DECLARATIONS. The people of the state of Washington declare that:

(1) The continued growth in the burden of tax levies and other revenue generating assessments imposed on the citizens and businesses of the state of Washington and the corresponding growth in state government is contrary to the interests of the people of the state of Washington.

(2) It is necessary to reaffirm the people's will to limit the rate of growth of state government while assuring adequate funding of essential services, including basic education as required by Article IX, section 1 of the state Constitution.

(3) During periods of severe economic downturns or fiscal emergencies, receipts of state revenue collections may decline below the state revenue collection limit established in this chapter and, therefore, it is necessary and vital for the state of Washington to maintain an adequate reserve of state revenue collections to provide a resource for the stable financing of essential state services during such periods.

(4) A state tax limitation was passed by a vote of the people at the November 6, 1979, state general election. However, because of a high base calculation, that state tax limitation has not been effective in carrying out the intent of the people to limit revenues and the growth of state government.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. INTENT. It is the intent of the people of the state of Washington to:

(1) Establish a limitation that will assure that the growth rate of state revenue collections does not exceed an established percentage of the economy as represented by total state personal income.

(2) Reaffirm that the state shall not impose upon any political subdivision of the state the responsibility for new programs, programs previously offered by the state, or increased levels of service unless the costs of these programs or services are paid or reimbursed by the state.



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(3) Provide for adjustment of the state revenue collection limit when the costs of a federal, state, or political subdivision program, service, project, facility, or activity are transferred in such a manner that the result is an increase or decrease in state revenue collections.

(4) Establish a responsible and fiscally sound revenue reserve fund for use in severe economic downturns or fiscal emergencies.

(5) Establish procedures for the disposition of amounts collected in excess of this limit.

(6) Establish procedures for use when estimated state revenues collections fall below the state revenue collection limit.

(7) Establish procedures for exceeding this limit in emergency situations.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. DEFINITIONS. Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, the definitions in this section apply throughout this chapter:

(1) "Estimated state revenue collections" means the estimated state revenue collections as published in the most recent official economic and revenue forecast prepared under RCW 82.33.020.

(2) "Fiscal year" means the year beginning July 1st and ending the following June 30th.

(3) "General obligation debt reduction account" means the general obligation debt reduction account created by this chapter.

(4) "Political subdivision" means any division of the state made by proper authorities thereof, acting within their constitutional or legislatively authorized powers, for the purpose of carrying out the administration of governmental powers of a subordinate or local nature.

(5) "Revenue measure" means any tax, fee, license, charge, assessment, tariff, toll, duty, or other encumbrance levied, set, imposed, or exacted on persons, income, property, or activities or any expansion of the base of any existing tax, fee, license, charge, assessment, tariff, toll, duty, or other encumbrance levied, set, imposed, or exacted on persons, income, property, or activities.

(6) "Revenue reserve fund" means the revenue reserve fund created by this chapter.

(7) "State revenue collections" means all moneys received, collected, or owed from each and every source as required by law or rule, whether or not such funds are otherwise subject to legislative appropriation, including funds maintained or deposited outside the state treasury. Unless otherwise stated to the contrary, the following shall not be included in this definition:

(a) Moneys received as a gift, grant, donation, aid, or

assistance from any person, firm, or corporation, public or private, when the terms and conditions of such gift, grant, donation, aid, or assistance require the application and disbursement of such moneys otherwise than for the general purposes of the state of Washington;

(b) Moneys received as a gift, grant, donation, aid, or assistance from the United States or any department, agency, bureau, or corporation of the United States;

(c) Moneys derived from the investment of funds under the authority of the state investment board pursuant to chapter 43.33A RCW;

(d) Moneys received from performance bonds and deposits;

(e) Moneys paid into or received from the accident fund established under RCW 51.44.010, the medical aid fund established under RCW 51.44.020, the reserve fund established under RCW 51.44.030, the supplemental pension fund established under RCW 51.44.033, and the second injury fund established under RCW 51.44.040, for the purposes authorized as of December 31, 1992;

(f) Moneys paid into or received from trust funds that were created or established prior to December 31, 1992;

(g) Moneys paid into or received from a permanent and irreducible fund of the state that was created or established prior to December 31, 1992;

(h) Moneys received from the sale of bonds or other evidences of indebtedness;

(i) Moneys paid into or deposited to funds or accounts by the state for disbursement to political subdivisions of the state. However, these funds or accounts must have been created or established prior to December 31, 1992;

(j) Moneys dedicated under Article 2, section 40 of the state Constitution;

(k) Moneys paid into or received from the revenue reserve fund; or

(l) Moneys paid into or received from the general obligation debt reduction account.

(8) "State revenue collection limit" or "limit" means the limitation created by this chapter.

(9) "Limitation factor" means the percentage created by dividing the sum of total state revenue collections for the fiscal years 1988 through 1992 by the sum of total state personal income for the fiscal years 1988 through 1992.

(10) "Total state personal income" means the estimated total personal income for the state during a fiscal year as published by the United States department of commerce, bureau of economic analysis, or its successor, and as reported in the most recent official economic and revenue forecast prepared under RCW 82.33.020.

(11) "Undesignated fund balance" means any unreserved and undesignated current assets or other resources available for expenditure over and above any current liabilities that are expected to be incurred by the close of a fiscal year.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 4. LIMITATION FACTOR—



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COMPUTATION. Within thirty days after the effective date of this act, the economic and revenue forecast supervisor, as defined in RCW 82.33.010(2), shall compute the limitation factor defined under section 3 of this act. Upon computing the limitation factor, the economic and revenue forecast supervisor shall make and file with the secretary of state, a certificate containing the results of the computation and any amendment or adjustment thereof. Copies of the certificate shall be sent to each elected official of the state and each member of the legislature.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 5. STATE REVENUE COLLECTION LIMIT—CALCULATION. (1) Unless otherwise provided for in this chapter, the state revenue collection limit for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993, and for each fiscal year thereafter, shall be the limitation factor multiplied by the total state personal income for the fiscal year for which the limit is being calculated.

(2) To establish the revenue collection limit for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993, the economic and revenue forecast supervisor shall use total state personal income as published by the United States department of commerce, bureau of economic analysis, or its successor, and as reported in the November 1992 official economic and revenue forecast prepared under RCW 82.33.020.

(3) To establish the revenue collection limit for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1994, the economic and revenue forecast supervisor shall use total state personal income as published by the United States department of commerce, bureau of economic analysis, or its successor, and as reported in the November 1993 official economic and revenue forecast prepared under RCW 82.33.020.

(4) For each fiscal year thereafter, the state revenue collection limit shall be established by the economic and revenue forecast supervisor on November 20 of the year immediately preceding the fiscal year for which the limit is being calculated.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 6. REVENUE MEASURES—ESTIMATED STATE REVENUE COLLECTIONS TO BE WITHIN LIMIT. Except as otherwise provided for in this chapter, all state revenue measures from which state revenue collections are derived shall be imposed, levied, or set by law or rule in such a manner that estimated state revenue collections for each fiscal year will not exceed the state revenue collection limit established for the corresponding fiscal year.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 7. EXPENDITURE REQUIREMENTS. (1) The state shall not expend funds derived from

state revenue collections for any fiscal year in excess of the state revenue collection limit established for the corresponding fiscal year.

(2) Except pursuant to an appropriation provided for a declaration of emergency under section 10 of this act, the state treasurer shall not issue or redeem any check, warrant, or voucher from funds derived from state revenue collections that would result in an expenditure for any fiscal year in excess of the state revenue collection limit for the corresponding fiscal year. A violation of this subsection constitutes a violation of RCW 43.88.290.

(3) In addition to the penalties provided in RCW 43.88.300 for a judgment against the state treasurer for violating RCW 43.88.290, the attorney general may take civil action for such violations.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 8. REVENUE RESERVE FUND. (1) A revenue reserve fund is created in the custody of the state treasurer. Only the state treasurer may transfer moneys to or from the fund as provided in this chapter. On the effective date of this act, all funds currently contained, or on deposit, in the budget stabilization account created under RCW 43.88.525 shall be transferred into the revenue reserve fund.

(2) The state treasurer is authorized to and shall transfer to the revenue reserve fund a sum equal to the amount of any state revenue collections in excess of the state revenue collection limit. Deposits authorized under this subsection shall be made on the last day of each fiscal year based on estimated state revenue collections for that fiscal year.

(3) Upon the completion of any fiscal year for which there is an undesignated fund balance, the state treasurer is hereby authorized to and shall transfer to the revenue reserve fund a sum equal to the amount of any undesignated fund balance.

(4) The state treasurer is authorized to and shall transfer to the revenue reserve fund any other amounts the legislature may from time to time direct to be deposited or transferred into the fund.

(5) The balance of the revenue reserve fund at the end of a fiscal year shall not exceed two and one-half percent of the immediately preceding fiscal year's state revenue collection limit. Any amount in excess of this two and one-half percent limit shall be transferred by the state treasurer to the general obligation debt reduction account.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 9. ESTIMATED STATE REVENUE COLLECTIONS BELOW LIMIT—PROCEDURES FOR IMPOSITION OF REVENUE MEASURES. (1) If, at the time the state revenue collection limit is established as required pursuant to section 5 of this act, the estimated state revenue collections for the corresponding fiscal year are projected to be below the state revenue collection limit, the state treasurer shall immediately transfer to the state general fund from amounts available in the revenue reserve



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fund a sum equal to the difference between estimated state revenue collections and the state revenue collection limit for use during such fiscal year.

(2) If the procedure required under subsection (1) of this section has been implemented and there remains a difference between the state revenue collection limit and estimated revenue collections, the legislature may, by an affirmative vote of sixty percent of each house, enact revenue measures necessary to generate any sum that is equal to or below the state revenue collection limit less the estimated state revenue collections.

(3) Any revenue measure enacted pursuant to subsection (2) of this section may be imposed, levied, or set by law or rule for a period not to exceed twenty-four months from the effective date of such revenue measure.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 10. WHEN STATE REVENUE COLLECTION LIMIT MAY BE EXCEEDED—CONDITIONS. (1) The state revenue collection limit may be exceeded upon declaration of an emergency by the governor and a law approved by an affirmative vote of seventy-five percent of each house of the legislature. The declaration of emergency shall set forth the circumstances constituting the emergency and the amount of state revenue collections in excess of the applicable state revenue collection limit necessary to meet the emergency.

(2) A declaration of emergency for the purposes of exceeding the state revenue collection limit shall not exceed twenty-four months.

(3) The state revenue collection limit may be exceeded by an amount no greater than that indicated by the governor in his or her emergency declaration.

(4) The amount of state revenue collections authorized under this section in excess of the state revenue collection limit is not subject to the provisions of sections 7(2) and 8(2) of this act.

(5) Revenue measures enacted to meet the costs of an emergency under this section may be imposed, levied, or set by law or rule for a period not to exceed twenty-four months from the effective date of the revenue measures. However, all revenue measures enacted to meet the cost of an emergency under this section shall expire immediately upon the expiration of the declaration of emergency.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 11. STATE REVENUE COLLECTION LIMIT—ADJUSTMENTS. (1) If by order of any court, the costs of a federal, state, or political subdivision program, service, project, facility, or activity are transferred in such a manner that the result is an increase or decrease

in state revenue collections, the limitation factor shall be adjusted and the state revenue collection limit recalculated as provided in this section. The office of financial management shall determine the total dollar amount of any increase or decrease in state revenue collections caused by such a transfer.

(2) For the purpose of this section, "adjusted limitation factor" means the total dollar amount of any such increase or decrease in state revenue collections for the fiscal year in which the increase or decrease is effective divided by the corresponding fiscal year's total state personal income plus or minus the limitation factor or the most recent adjusted limitation factor.

(3) For the fiscal year in which any such increase or decrease is effective and for each fiscal year thereafter, the state revenue collection limit shall be the adjusted limitation factor multiplied by total state personal income for the fiscal year for which the limit is being recalculated or calculated.

(4) For the fiscal year in which any state revenue collections increase or decrease required by subsection (1) of this section become effective, the state revenue collection limit as adjusted in this section shall be recalculated by the economic and revenue forecast supervisor prior to the beginning of that fiscal year. For the fiscal years thereafter, the state revenue collection limit shall be established by the economic and revenue forecast supervisor on November 20 of the year immediately preceding the fiscal year for which the state revenue collection limit is being calculated.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 12. GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT REDUCTION ACCOUNT. The general obligation debt reduction account is created in the state treasury. Moneys in the account may be spent only following appropriation by law and shall be used solely for the purposes of reducing the outstanding principle and interest of the general obligation indebtedness of the state of Washington.

Sec. 13. RCW 43.135.060 and 1990 2nd ex.s. c 1 s 601 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) The legislature shall not impose responsibility for new programs, programs previously provided by the state, or increased levels of service under existing programs on any ~~((taxing district))~~ political subdivision of the state unless the ~~((districts))~~ costs of the program or increased service are reimbursed ~~((for the costs thereof))~~ by the state.

(2) The amount of increased local revenue and state appropriations and distributions that are received or could be received by a ~~((taxing district))~~ political subdivision of the state as a result of legislative enactments after 1979 shall be included as reimbursement under subsection (1) of this section. This subsection does not affect litigation pending on January 1, 1990.

(3) ~~((If by order of any court, or legislative enactment, the costs of a federal or taxing district program are transferred~~



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~~to or from the state, the otherwise applicable state tax revenue limit shall be increased or decreased, as the case may be, by the dollar amount of the costs of the program.~~

~~(4) The legislature, in consultation with the office of financial management or its successor agency, shall determine the costs of any new programs or increased levels of service under existing programs imposed on any taxing district or transferred to or from the state.~~

~~(5)) Subsection (1) of this section does not apply to the costs incurred for voting devices or machines under RCW 29.04.200.~~

(4) No portion of the reimbursement provided under subsection (1) of this section by the state to a political subdivision may be in the form of authorization for a new or increased revenue measure.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 14. A new section is added to chapter 82.33 RCW to read as follows:

The official, optimistic, and pessimistic revenue forecasts prepared under RCW 82.33.020 shall include revenue estimates for all state revenue collections as defined in chapter 43.135 RCW.

Sec. 15. RCW 43.84.092 and 1992 c 235 s 4 are each amended to read as follows:

(1) All earnings of investments of surplus balances in the state treasury shall be deposited to the treasury income account, which account is hereby established in the state treasury.

(2) Monthly, the state treasurer shall distribute the earnings credited to the treasury income account. The state treasurer shall credit the general fund with all the earnings credited to the treasury income account except:

(a) The following accounts and funds shall receive their proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's and fund's average daily balance for the period: The capitol building construction account, the Cedar River channel construction and operation account, the Central Washington University capital projects account, the charitable, educational, penal and reformatory institutions account, the common school construction fund, the county criminal justice assistance account, the county sales and use tax equalization account, the data processing building construction account, the deferred compensation administrative account, the deferred compensation principal account, the department of retirement systems expense account, the Eastern Washington University capital projects account, the federal forest revolving account, the general obligation debt reduction account, the industrial insurance premium

refund account, the judges' retirement account, the judicial retirement administrative account, the judicial retirement principal account, the local leasehold excise tax account, the local sales and use tax account, the medical aid account, the municipal criminal justice assistance account, the municipal sales and use tax equalization account, the natural resources deposit account, the perpetual surveillance and maintenance account, the public employees' retirement system plan I account, the public employees' retirement system plan II account, the Puyallup tribal settlement account, the resource management cost account, the revenue reserve fund, the site closure account, the special wildlife account, the state employees' insurance account, the state employees' insurance reserve account, the state investment board expense account, the state investment board commingled trust fund accounts, the supplemental pension account, the teachers' retirement system plan I account, the teachers' retirement system plan II account, the University of Washington bond retirement fund, the University of Washington building account, the volunteer fire fighters' relief and pension principal account, the volunteer fire fighters' relief and pension administrative account, the Washington judicial retirement system account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' system plan I retirement account, the Washington law enforcement officers' and fire fighters' system plan II retirement account, the Washington state patrol retirement account, the Washington State University building account, the Washington State University bond retirement fund, and the Western Washington University capital projects account. Earnings derived from investing balances of the agricultural permanent fund, the normal school permanent fund, the permanent common school fund, the scientific permanent fund, and the state university permanent fund shall be allocated to their respective beneficiary accounts. All earnings to be distributed under this subsection (2)(a) shall first be reduced by the allocation to the state treasurer's service fund pursuant to RCW 43.08.190.

(b) The following accounts and funds shall receive eighty percent of their proportionate share of earnings based upon each account's or fund's average daily balance for the period: The central Puget Sound public transportation account, the city hardship assistance account, the county arterial preservation account, the economic development account, the essential rail assistance account, the essential rail banking account, the ferry bond retirement fund, the grade crossing protective fund, the high capacity transportation account, the highway bond retirement fund, the highway construction stabilization account, the highway safety account, the motor vehicle fund, the motorcycle safety education account, the pilotage account, the public transportation systems account, the Puget Sound capital construction account, the Puget Sound ferry operations account, the recreational vehicle account, the rural arterial



COMPLETE TEXT OF Initiative Measure 602 (cont.)

trust account, the special category C account, the state patrol highway account, the transfer relief account, the transportation capital facilities account, the transportation equipment fund, the transportation fund, the transportation improvement account, and the urban arterial trust account.

(3) In conformance with Article II, section 37 of the state Constitution, no treasury accounts or funds shall be allocated earnings without the specific affirmative directive of this section.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 16. A new section is added to chapter 43.88 RCW to read as follows:

The budget document submitted by the governor to the legislature under RCW 43.88.030 shall reflect the state revenue collection limit established under chapter 43.135 RCW and shall not propose expenditures from funds derived from state revenue collections in excess of the state revenue collection limit established for the fiscal year or years to which the budget pertains.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 17. REVENUE MEASURES REPEAL. (1) Upon the effective date of this act, all actions or combinations of actions by the state to increase state revenue measures over those in effect on December 31, 1992, shall revert to those in effect on December 31, 1992, except for those under sections 9 and 10 of this act.

(2) The code reviser, in cooperation with the fiscal committees of the house of representatives and the senate, shall develop a correction bill to reflect the changes required by subsection (1) of this section. The correction bill shall be introduced during the legislative session immediately following the effective date of this act.

(3) Prior to the adoption of the correction bill required under this section, the governor may utilize any means provided by law to ensure that the expenditure of funds derived from state revenue collections does not exceed the state revenue collection limit.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 18. REPEALER. The following acts or parts of acts are each repealed:

- (1) RCW 43.88.520 and 1981 c 280 s 1;
- (2) RCW 43.88.525 and 1991 sp.s. c 13 s 13, 1985 c 57 s 52, & 1981 c 280 s 2;
- (3) RCW 43.88.530 and 1982 1st ex.s. c 36 s 2 & 1981 c 280 s 3;
- (4) RCW 43.88.535 and 1982 1st ex.s. c 36 s 3 & 1981 c 280 s 4;
- (5) RCW 43.88.540 and 1984 c 138 s 11 & 1981 c 280 s 5;

- (6) RCW 43.135.010 and 1980 c 1 s 1;
- (7) RCW 43.135.020 and 1980 c 1 s 2;
- (8) RCW 43.135.030 and 1980 c 1 s 3;
- (9) RCW 43.135.040 and 1980 c 1 s 4;
- (10) RCW 43.135.050 and 1980 c 1 s 5;
- (11) RCW 43.135.070 and 1980 c 1 s 7;
- (12) RCW 43.135.900 and 1980 c 1 s 8; and
- (13) RCW 43.135.901 and 1980 c 1 s 9.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 19. SHORT TITLE. This chapter shall be known and cited as the state revenue collection limitation act of 1993.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 20. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the act or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 21. CODIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS. Sections 1 through 12 and 19 of this act are each added to chapter 43.135 RCW.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 22. CAPTIONS NOT LAW. Section headings as used in this act do not constitute any part of the law.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 23. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately, and the first fiscal year for which the state revenue collection limit shall be in effect is the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993.

PLEASE NOTE:

In the preceding and following measures, all words in double brackets with a line through them are in the State Law or Constitution at the present time and are being taken out by the measure. All words underlined do not appear in the State Law or Constitution as they are now written but will be put in if the measure is adopted.



COMPLETE TEXT OF House Joint Resolution 4200

BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION ASSEMBLED:

THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article I, section 11 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as follows:

Article I, section 11. Absolute freedom of conscience in all matters of religious sentiment, belief and worship, shall be guaranteed to every individual, and no one shall be molested or disturbed in person or property on account of religion; but the liberty of conscience hereby secured shall not be so construed as to excuse acts of licentiousness or justify practices inconsistent with the peace and safety of the state. No public money or property shall be appropriated for or applied to any religious worship, exercise or instruction, or the support of any religious establishment: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That this article shall not be so construed as to forbid the employment by the state of a chaplain for such of the state custodial, correctional, and mental institutions, or by a county's or public hospital district's hospital, health care facility, or hospice, as in the discretion of the legislature may seem justified. No religious qualification shall be required for any public office or employment, nor shall any person be incompetent as a witness or juror, in consequence of his opinion on matters of religion, nor be questioned in any court of justice touching his religious belief to affect the weight of his testimony.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause notice of the foregoing constitutional amendment to be published at least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in every legal newspaper in the state.

PLEASE NOTE:

To obtain a copy of the preceding and following texts for the state measures in larger print, call the Secretary of State's toll-free hotline -- 1-800-448-4881.



COMPLETE TEXT OF House Joint Resolution 4201

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THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article IV, section 6 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as follows:

Article IV, section 6. Superior courts and district courts have concurrent jurisdiction in cases in equity. The superior court shall have original jurisdiction ~~((in all cases in equity and))~~ in all cases at law which involve the title or possession of real property, or the legality of any tax, impost, assessment, toll, or municipal fine, and in all other cases in which the demand or the value of the property in controversy amounts to three thousand dollars or as otherwise determined by law, or a lesser sum in excess of the jurisdiction granted to justices of the peace and other inferior courts, and in all criminal cases amounting to felony, and in all cases of misdemeanor not otherwise provided for by law; of actions of forcible entry and detainer; of proceedings in insolvency; of actions to prevent or abate a nuisance; of all matters of probate, of divorce, and for annulment of marriage; and for such special cases and proceedings as are not otherwise provided for. The superior court shall also have original jurisdiction in all cases and of all proceedings in which jurisdiction shall not have been by law vested exclusively in some other court; and said court shall have the power of naturalization and to issue papers therefor. They shall have such appellate jurisdiction in cases arising in justices' and other inferior courts in their respective counties as may be prescribed by law. They shall always be open, except on nonjudicial days, and their process shall extend to all parts of the state. Said courts and their judges shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, quo warranto, review, certiorari, prohibition, and writs of habeas corpus, on petition by or on behalf of any person in actual custody in their respective counties. Injunctions and writs of prohibition and of habeas corpus may be issued and served on legal holidays and nonjudicial days.

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PLEASE PRINT IN INK

Registered Name _____
Street Address _____ # _____
City _____ Zip _____
Telephone: (Day) _____ (Evening) _____
For identification purposes only: (Optional)
Birth Date _____ Social Security No. _____

TO BE VALID, YOUR SIGNATURE MUST BE INCLUDED

Signature _____ Date _____

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33rd Legislative District Representative, Position No. 1



Julia PATTERSON

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The "Highline Times" once stated, "Julia Patterson is an enthusiastic, original thinker with good knowledge of the community and a passion to make it better."

That summarizes Julia Patterson.

Last winter, when faced with the decision of filling a vacancy in our legislative district, Republicans and Democrats on the King County Council unanimously agreed - Julia Patterson was the best choice.

From the beginning, Julia made a commitment to be independent and hard working. She was. She voted against hundreds of millions of dollars in new taxes, including the state revenue package.

Julia believes families must live within their budget, and so should government. She believes that when the legislature returns in January it must be unrelenting in reducing waste and becoming more efficient.

Julia is opposed to a third runway at SeaTac Airport. She doesn't want more homes condemned, more noise polluting our neighborhoods and tax dollars being spent wastefully on transportation solutions that don't work. She passed a law that forces the Port to finance additional sound-proofing for airport area residents.

Julia previously served as a founding member of the SeaTac city council. She successfully established important programs; including a city/school district latch key program for children and a new community center with recreation programs for teens and seniors.

To fight crime, Julia pressed for policies that increased neighborhood police patrols, strengthened anti-prostitution laws and implemented the community based police concept.

Julia has received key endorsements. They include the Washington Education Association; State Fire Fighters; State Council of Police Officers; King County Womens' Political Caucus; Boeing Aerospace Machinists; and finally, the State Troopers Association, who said "We are pleased to endorse your candidacy. You have shown a commitment to take the 'handcuffs' off the police and put them where they belong... on criminals."

Growing up, attending our schools, marrying, working, and with her husband, Pat, raising three youngsters, Julia has spent her entire life serving and living in our district.

Julia is a graduate of Tyee High School. She holds degrees in Police Science and English from Washington State University and the University of Washington.



Mike PATTISON

Republican

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If you agree with the Lowry agenda for more spending and bigger government, read no further - vote for my opponent.

But, if you believe as I do that we must make government live within it's means, we're kindred spirits.

I'll fight to make government live on a budget, like families do. We must make government set new priorities. Our children's future must come first. We must reform health care in ways which guarantee our right to choose our own doctor, protect our privacy and control costs - not move towards socialized medicine as the Lowry plan does.

I've been active in our community, working on the issues which affect us all. In addition, I was recently honored by being elected a board member of the American Cancer Society. I'm committed to making our community a better one and our future a brighter one.

That includes stopping the third runway.

My background includes a business degree from Seattle University, work experience as a Legislative Aide, work with Multiple Sclerosis patients and as a lab tech researching pulmonary edema.

I ask for your vote and hope that you'll call on me with your input long past election day.

King County Executive



**Gary
LOCKE**

Democrat

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I am running for King County Executive because too many citizens have lost confidence in county government. They are tired of passive leadership, tired of not being heard, tired of the bickering between the Executive and the Council, and between the County, cities and unincorporated areas.

In 1992 voters approved merging Metro and the County to simplify government and achieve savings. They deserve an Executive whose priority is managing this new government effectively — and making it work.

It is not enough for political candidates to promise a vision of the future. I have a proven record in solving difficult problems, mastering the details of a budget and making tough budget cuts. I believe government will never have enough money to do everything people want. So, we must set firm priorities and do a few things well, instead of doing too many things poorly.

King County faces tremendous challenges and opportunities. We must: • solve our transportation mess in sensible, affordable increments; • create a regional public safety system to attack gang violence and prevent crime; • listen to the complaints of businesses and create a

supportive business climate by eliminating costly and unnecessary regulations; • overhaul our permitting process so builders can build affordable housing, and • respect the diversity of our county. Solutions which work in one area may not work in another.

The challenge is to accomplish these goals with limited public resources while preserving the northwest values we cherish.

I was born and raised in King County. As a Deputy County Prosecutor I worked to make our communities safer - prosecuting criminals and supporting crime victims. As a state legislator I have formed coalitions of Democrats and Republicans to tackle successfully many of the critical issues facing our region. In 1990, I was rated #1 in effectiveness among legislators in the Puget Sound area by the *Seattle Times*. The Municipal League has rated me "Outstanding" in each of my legislative races.

My record shows I am best qualified to lead our new County government, break the stalemate, and get the job done.

I would appreciate your vote. Thank you.



**Tim
HILL**

Republican

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This election is about leadership. Leadership that gets results.

Leadership is a budget that is balanced and has significant reserves for a rainy day. Leadership is investing in a transportation system. Leadership is saving thousands of acres of open spaces, parks and trails. Leadership is a public safety system that keeps neighborhoods safe and criminals behind bars.

These past four years, I have accomplished all of these things, and more. King County is among the top four counties in the country for fiscal responsibility and accountability. While the State of Washington was raising taxes, in King County we were cutting back while still investing in our public safety and the future of our children and families. I have kept faith with the priorities of the taxpayers.

We are building a new Regional Justice Center in South King County. This "second courthouse" will bring needed services to the suburbs and maintain the integrity of the criminal justice system. Unlike other urban areas, no police officer trying to book a prisoner has ever been

turned away from the King County jail.

Transportation has been a major priority of mine. Whether it's fighting for needed improvements to our crowded state highways or improving county roads, King County has been a leader. This year, I put forth a plan that would get commuters onto rail cars by 1996. These trains would travel on existing rails, serve north and south King County as well as Seattle and the major Boeing plants. I will make this a reality in my next term of office.

My record of fiscal responsibility and action is even more important as King County and Metro combine in 1994. This new government must be more efficient and more effective. I will take the best of both governments and combine them into a truly effective regional government that serves our citizens.

We can manage growth, protect our environment, and improve our neighborhoods. And we must remember that quality of life begins with a job. I pledge to continue to make this county a healthy place to do business, to live, and to raise a family.



Metropolitan King County Council, District No. 7



**Bob
STEAD**
Democrat

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Federal Way Mayor Bob Stead is the most qualified candidate for the new Metropolitan Council position #7.

I was elected Federal Way's first District Judge in 1962. I am a past president of the Federal Way Chamber of Commerce and was elected to the first city council of Federal Way in 1989. After being re-elected in 1991 I was selected by my fellow councilmembers as Mayor.

As Mayor I have been an active member of the current Metro council. I am a member of the Growth Management Policy Committee, Transit Committee, and numerous other committees. I have been involved in many regional policy issues that affect King County residents.

I was a member of the Summit group that placed the King County/Metro merger on the ballot in November of 1992 and actively campaigned for it's passage. I also co-chaired the new regional justice center which was also approved that election year.

If elected, my goals include; a.) Land use:

A long term plan for our regional growth can be put together that will allow us to accommodate growth. The environment and quality of life must be preserved while still maintaining an economic base to provide jobs for the population. b.) Transportation: We must as soon as possible, vote on a light rail proposal. If this light rail plan should fail, I feel we need to enhance HOV's, expanded bus service to South King County, and/or, other inducements to reduce the use of individual cars. c.) Taxes: As a member of the city council I have maintained a low tax rate, and would continue to do that as a member of the King County Metro Council. d.) Human services: The new government needs to provide a high level of support to getting people into a self sufficient mode. This will require providing counseling, job training, and help in finding a job. For those who cannot qualify for training we need to provide a level of support that maintains their dignity.

This year we will elect a new government. We need new leadership and I believe, with your help, I can provide that leadership.



**Pete
von REICHBAUER**
Republican

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"Pop, how will I and my age group afford a place to live when we get older?"

While passing bills in the statehouse is important, critical decisions are being made every day in our county courthouse which attack our quality of life today, and undermine the opportunities for our young people to have a job and affordable housing in the future.

In the 70's I joined with others in successfully fighting for the construction of the Federal Way Boy's and Girl's Club. In the 80's I successfully fought to provide us with St. Francis Community Hospital, and I've constantly fought at both the state and local level to protect South King County wallets.

Now with the battle grounds shifting to the courthouse I want to remain in the thick of that fight. • The council can decide to hold the line against skyrocketing property taxes — or to continue to tax us out of our homes. • The council can decide to develop a realistic transportation plan — or they can condemn us to decades of gridlock. • The council can

decide to put some teeth back into our criminal justice system or they can continue letting social engineers explain away the criminals. • The council can decide effective, more responsive government, or they can keep building a bloated and unresponsive government.

Frankly those decisions are too important to be left to the crowd in Seattle.

When these issues are being debated, unless someone from the job-producing private sector, with real world experience, is sitting on the council willing to go toe-to-toe with the "politics as usual crowd," King County government will simply get bigger and bigger.

I've always enjoyed the fight, and being a maverick, partisan positioning has never stopped me from doing what I thought was right.

I am running to protect the jobs and affordable housing of this generation, and to preserve the same opportunity for the next generation. It's going to take a fighter to keep King County working for — not against — the taxpayers.

Metropolitan King County Council, District No. 9



**John
SLIWA**

Democrat

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John Sliwa, 46, is a retired Air Traffic Controller and life long Democrat. He served 14 years in government with the Civil Service. John understands that improving service and making King County government work better for us will require, a commitment to responsible representation, council accessibility through community input, and real accountability.

"The goal of the candidacy is a government that embodies the hope and the promise of our country to be sure that we never abandon our charge to serve the people."

"I make a solemn promise that I am committed to be the catalyst for responsible change. You and I must deliver a message to those who run King County that we are going to work for that change."

"We must restore commitment to our community, vitality to the values of our society, vigor to our economy, real democracy to our government, and purpose to our life. Above all, we must secure our children's birthright of a greater America than we ourselves inherited. The future of America's children and their children is

nothing more than our moral test. At stake is everything America means to me."

"I practice campaign finance reform not simply talk about it and will not accept contributions of more than \$100 from any one person. In this regard, I stand apart from other candidates who collect huge sums of money from special interest groups to finance their campaigns and later feel compelled to cater to their special interest to insure future financial support for the next campaign."

"On issues such as growth management, the Metro merger, and delivery of services, I stand apart from my opponents. As a life long fighter for effective and efficient government, I am capable of affecting the change needed to move the 9th District and the county forward."

"This candidacy is not about me. It is about us. If we all look inward and come to the same conclusion that business, labor, government, and citizens need to work harder than ever before. We will find that we can do better by ourselves and our children."



**Kent
PULLEN**
Republican

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Your kind support elected me to this office in 1989, and I am now seeking re-election to a second term in order to continue making progress on key issues such as public safety, transportation, growth management, and fiscal responsibility.

During the past four years I served as the Chairman of the Law and Justice Committee. I was pleased to have successfully sponsored or co-sponsored ordinances into law that were designed to (1) combat the proliferation of gangs; (2) provide full funding of the automated fingerprint identification system; (3) establish an upgraded emergency radio system; (4) protect abused children, battered women, and victims of domestic violence; and (5) strengthen the county ethics code. Based on my record on these and related issues, I have been endorsed for re-election both by the King County Police Officers' Guild and the Public Safety Employees Local 519.

"With regard to land use planning, I would like to help craft a better balanced process. Planners must be more cognizant of the competing objectives and should seek an improved balance

between the need to protect the environment, defend private property rights, keep housing affordable, and ensure that services are in place as development occurs. Also needed are reforms in the permitting process at the Department of Development and Environmental Services (DES, formerly known as BALD). Another key goal is to give local citizens a stronger voice in land use planning decisions through the establishment of community councils.

In addition, transportation needs should be integrated into the land use planning process. A properly designed rail system can help, but the "plan" currently being considered by the Regional Transit Authority is too vague, extremely costly to taxpayers, and unfair to rural area residents. Instead, we should implement a phased approach, beginning with the establishment of commuter trains utilizing existing tracks supplemented by improved bus service to and from regional job centers.

In conclusion, we should strive to make King County government more responsive and accountable to citizens. If re-elected, I would be honored to work with you to achieve this goal.



Metropolitan King County Council, District No. 12



**Debbie
BERTO**
Democrat

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Debbie Berto has played a decisive role in the 12th District for the past twenty years. As a business manager/publisher of a newspaper, and as a community activist, she has worked to protect the environment and build a strong economic base. Debbie has been married 19 years and is the mother of two. Her concerns are the same as ours: managing growth through solutions that create a better future for our children.

Debbie believes citizens themselves have the best answers to the challenges facing our rural and suburban communities. The County's Citizen Advisory Committee system could be a tremendous vehicle for citizen input if clear guidelines are established, if meetings are managed in an unbiased manner, if citizens are encouraged to work toward recognized common goals, and if the results of citizen deliberations are honored by the Council.

Debbie supports the Growth Management Act, but recognizes the need for a more localized economic development plan. She believes family-wage industries should be located near residential areas as a first step toward trans-

portation solutions. Higher densities in mixed-use zones will allow others to preserve their more rural way of life. To prevent our dependence on transported food, we must also preserve sufficient farm land. And our Northwest industries must be encouraged to diversify to provide continued employment for our current residents.

Debbie has an impressive record of community achievement and leadership. She knows how to bring people together to find solutions. Whether working to preserve the state salmon hatchery, promote the need for a youth community center, revitalize Issaquah's historic downtown, or draft a plan for Bellevue's Coal Creek basin, Debbie has made a positive impact. Among her many honors, she was named Issaquah Citizen of the Year in 1991.

We must put a stop to the adversarial, no-win attitudes that have characterized the Eastside's relationship with the County Council. Our plans need bold new ways of thinking, and leaders who know how to get things done. We need Debbie Berto at the Council level to make sure our local voices are heard.



**Brian
DERDOWSKI**
Republican

It has been an honor and a privilege to represent you. With your grass roots support we have accomplished much of what we set out to do in 1990. We stand for:

Accessibility We do four evening community meetings each week. Our home phone number is regularly advertised (391-6089). My wife Karen and I consider this position a privilege rather than a career. We respect and welcome your advice.

Growth Management Our goal should be to grow moderately with high quality jobs. Excessive development will result in crowded schools, traffic congestion, inadequate parks, higher taxes, and a weaker economy in the long run.

Reasonable Development Small builders and property owners will create better and more affordable housing than will large developers. Large concentrations of apartments should be discouraged. Zoning should provide for smooth transitions with neighboring uses.

Environmental Protection Our children deserve a healthy productive environment. Farms, streams, lakes and forests must be protected.

Regulations should be predictable and applied consistently, and fairly.

Traffic Improvement Safety improvements and alleviating existing congestion should be our top priority. I do not support widening roads through neighborhoods unless absolutely necessary.

Government Efficiency I have successfully sponsored new customer service policies, and have initiated numerous performance audits. I have also sponsored performance standards for County departments. We need to treat employees professionally, give them responsibility, and ensure accountability.

Fiscal Conservatism I have voted against many tax increases. I am skeptical of all expenditures, and I do my homework. My office advocates for property taxpayers and conducts annual seminars on tax appeals.

My staff and I have a strong work ethic. We are not afraid to confront special interests. We challenge the system and don't back away from controversy. We welcome public input and work hard to help citizens empower themselves. We appreciate and thank you for your support.

(The above statements are written by the candidates, who are solely responsible for the contents therein.)

Metropolitan King County Council, District No. 13



**Mike
TODD**
Democrat

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This election begins a new era in county government. For the first time, our communities can have a strong voice standing up for our interests. Mike Todd has the courage, integrity and values we need. He has always fought for us. We need him fighting for our fair share now.

Our new district can have a strong voice. Whether the issue is higher property taxes, more airport runways or new landfills, our voice *isn't being heard*. "We aren't the step-child of the County. We have different values, different economic issues and different government priorities. It's time County government started working for us." Mike said recently.

As a citizen legislator, Mike Todd courageously fought powerful special interests for the benefit of the public interest. He challenged US West during the telephone deregulation debate. He fought the nuclear power industry to prevent Washington from becoming a waste dump. He battled realtors and demanded they disclose who they represent during land sales. He made senior citizens a top priority, and is proud to have been selected the legislator of the year by the American Association of

Retired Persons (AARP).

We need more adequate East-West transportation options in both roads and public transportation across the Kent Valley and South. Growth should be managed responsibly, with adequate roads, schools and open space. Mike will work to develop new ways to get people to and from work and improve dangerous roads in our area.

County government needs to be brought under control. We all resent the waste we see. We read about the personal use of county cars and the inefficient process of having to wait months to have building permits approved while our property taxes continue to rise and more layers of government are added.

Our quality of life depends on our economic vitality. People are afraid they will lose their jobs and benefits. We can bring jobs by providing good services, less waste and helping industry by providing quality infrastructure. *Government needs to create jobs, not stifle them.*

Vote for Mike Todd, the courage, integrity and values we need.



**Chris
VANCE**
Republican

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Auburn, WA 98002
PHONE NUMBER: 852-4020

There are two things citizens of south King County can count on from Chris Vance if they elect him to serve them on the King County Council: straight talk and hard work!

For the past three years, Chris Vance has been proving his dedication to the people and communities of south King County while serving in the state Legislature. As a state representative, Chris has fought to provide better schools for our children, protect our neighborhoods from crime, drugs and gangs, and defend our wallets from increased taxes and wasteful government spending.

Chris Vance has a well-earned reputation for being an accessible, hard-working legislator who is honest with, and listens to, those he represents.

Now, Chris would like to work for the people of south King County on the King County Council.

In the next few years, the King County Council will be debating issues crucial to the future of our communities, including: • Taxes and Spending: Chris Vance will oppose unnecessary new taxes and is committed to making county government set priorities and operate

more efficiently. • Transportation: Chris Vance knows relieving our congested highways by developing safe, reliable and cost-effective alternatives to automobiles is an issue that must be addressed immediately. • Growth Management: Chris Vance will work for a balanced plan that protects the environment without pushing everyone into high-rise apartments and destroying the dream of owning a home.

We need Chris Vance's energy, leadership and proven dedication working for us as these vital issues are decided.

Take it from Chris: "I will be a councilmember who is accessible to you, who listens to you and who works hard to address the concerns of our community. Together, we can lead King County to a prosperous and vibrant future. I hope I can count on your vote."

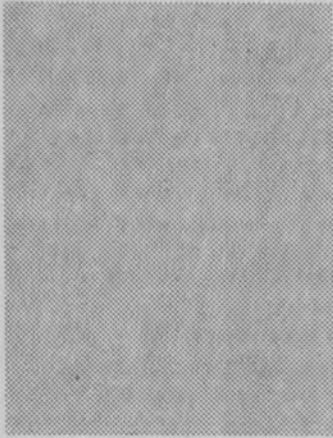
Straight talk. Hard work. That's what we'll get from Chris Vance serving us on the King County Council.

Chris, his wife, Annmarie, and their two year old son, Adam, live in Auburn. If you have any questions about Chris's vision for King County, call him at 852-4020.



Court of Appeals - Division No. 1

District No. 1 - Position No. 2



**Susan Randolph
AGID**

Many people know little about what judges do or who we are as professionals and individuals. After defeating an opponent two years ago, I am running unopposed and do not need to make a real campaign statement. I would like to use this space to describe the court and tell you a little about my background.

The Court of Appeals is the intermediate state appellate court. There are three divisions located in Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane. Division I in Seattle has nine judges, and there are four each in Tacoma and Spokane. We review the decisions of the trial courts (Superior, District and Municipal) to determine whether there were mistakes made which require a new trial or dismissal. Our court sits in panels of three judges and does not hear testimony. We base our decisions on the written record from the trial court, briefs and oral argument.

Each judge in Seattle where I sit writes approximately 65 opinions and decides an additional 80 cases without oral argument each

year. We review and sign or dissent from opinions written by our colleagues in the other 130 cases we hear each year. Our caseload is about 55% criminal and 45% civil. We face many difficult and challenging issues for which we must be fully prepared, open-minded and fair.

I have been a judge since 1986, first in King County Superior Court and, since 1991, on the Court of Appeals. I grew up in Charlottesville, Virginia, got my B.A. at the University of Pennsylvania and my law degree at Columbia University. I moved to Seattle after law school in 1975 with my husband and five-month-old daughter who is now a freshman in college. I was an attorney specializing in land use and employment discrimination law. I have written books on discrimination law and articles on both topics. I worked for private law firms and in the public sector and taught discrimination law at the University of Puget Sound Law School. I have also been involved in several neighborhood, civic and educational groups.

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Superior Court Position No. 18



**Michael S.
SPEARMAN**

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JUSTICE REQUIRES FAIRNESS - Judge Michael Spearman believes fairness is the bedrock of justice. All who come into his courtroom have an equal voice and are treated with dignity and respect.

JUSTICE REQUIRES EXPERIENCE - Michael Spearman has had extensive courtroom experience over the last twelve years. He has capably handled administrative responsibilities as Supervisor of the Felony Division of The Defender Association. In private practice, he focused on family law, gaining expertise on issues of importance to families and children.

Judge Spearman graduated from Brown University and the New York University School of Law. Between college and law school, he spent four years working as a machinist and shop steward. This gave him a true understanding of the issues important to working people.

JUSTICE REQUIRES A CONCERNED RESPONSE TO CRIME - Michael Spearman was appointed to the Sentencing Guidelines Commission by Governor Booth Gardner; and in 1992, he was appointed to Task Force on Criminal Justice by Governor Mike Lowry. He fully understands the need to impose strict sentences when required by the facts and the law

and the need to explore alternative sentences when appropriate.

JUSTICE REQUIRES AN EFFICIENT COURT SYSTEM - Judge Spearman believes the court must become more efficient in handling its enormous caseload. He supports mediation and arbitration as methods of resolving civil disputes and efforts by law enforcement agencies to coordinate collection of criminal history to speed up sentencing.

Judge Spearman has been endorsed by Governor Mike Lowry, Lieutenant Governor Joel Pritchard, Attorney General Christine Gregoire, former U.S. Attorney Mike McKay, Mayor Norm Rice, the King County Women's Political Caucus, Rainbow Coalition, King County Democrats, King County Labor Council, Teamsters Local 28, UFCW Local 1001, and Aeromachinists Local 571. He has received the highest possible ratings from the King County Bar Association, SEAMEC, the Asian Bar Association and Washington Women Lawyers. He was rated well qualified by the Loren Miller Bar Association. He has been endorsed by the Harvey Muggy Gay and Lesbian Democrats and Hispanic Bar Association. He is recommended by the Seattle Police Officers Guild. Judge Spearman and his wife, Mariane, have one daughter, Samantha.



**David M.
ABERCROMBIE**

BRING LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT TO SUPERIOR COURT

- **MAGISTRATE PRO-TEM** — shown decisiveness and stamina required of a judicial officer
- **LAWYER** — helped people from all walks of life
- **FIRE COMMISSIONER** - Meeting community needs
- **BUSINESSMAN** — Identifying and meeting demands through planning, motivating and hard work
- **COMBAT OFFICER** — Armored Cavalry Platoon Leader in Vietnam, awarded Bronze Star

The King County Courts are currently faced with a critical shortage of leadership, management and resources. My experience in the private sector as a businessman, as a soldier, as well as a lawyer has enabled me to develop the skill, knowledge and leadership that will enable me to address and solve these problems. My opponent, a recent Lowry appointee,

was sworn in less than two weeks before this election began. With experience almost solely that of defending criminal defendants on the public payroll, he lacks the depth or breadth of background needed for this position. My election would bring a depth of understanding, firmness and stamina to the bench that is needed at this time.



Port of Seattle District No. 3

LOCAL FOCUS: The Port of Seattle is among the Nation's largest port districts. It is the owner/developer of marine and transportation facilities around Seattle's harbor and the owner/operator of Seattle-Tacoma International Airport, Fishermen's Terminal and Shilshole Marina. It is governed by five Commission members elected by voters for four-years.



**Paige
MILLER**

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PHONE NUMBER: 281-8674

When you elected me six years ago, the Port Commission was in disarray, and Seattle was not a place new businesses wanted to call home.

Things have changed.

I have worked hard to help turn things around, and today our Port is again considered one of the most efficient and innovative in the world.

We are on the move.

And while moving forward has required making tough decisions, it is leading us to major accomplishments: • Expanding of American President Lines' facility at Terminal 5, which will create 1,500 good-paying jobs. • Deciding to expand Sea-Tac runway capacity will ensure our economic recovery doesn't stall, while requiring airlines to reduce noise levels by 50%. • Creating a waterfront plan that retains traditional uses, while adding a maritime museum and international conference center. • Reorganizing the Port to increase financial accountability. • Cleaning up contaminated properties around our harbor.

But the Port isn't just about airplanes and shipping. It's about addressing the concerns we all share in our daily lives. I have worked especially hard in the following areas: • Estab-

lishing **PortJOBS**, a partnership among employers, training institutions, community groups and unions to ensure good-paying jobs are available to women, minorities and persons with disabilities. • **Strengthening relationships** with Port customers around the Pacific Rim. I've worked hard to bring EVA Airline of Taiwan and China Eastern Airline to Sea-Tac, expanding our relations with two of the world's fastest growing economies. • Developing a **Port Ethics Code** - the first in Washington. • **Opening our public processes**, so everyone can voice their opinions about our region's future. • Holding the line on taxes. I have **voted against raising the tax levy** three years running.

The Port is vital to the future of our region, especially when Boeing is experiencing a cyclical downturn. I'm proud of the work I'm doing, and I love my job. Please help me continue that work.

Thank you,
Paige

Paige Miller, A Yale Law School graduate, and her husband Bruce Johnson have three children: Marta, Winslow and Russell. Russell is the first child born to a sitting Port Commissioner in the U.S.



**George
TAMBLYN**

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GEORGE TAMBLYN, 56, is a successful businessman, practiced business law for over twenty years before he and a partner bought a Seattle manufacturing company, dealt with its environmental problems, turned it around and now it is profitable and employs over 50 people.

Tamblin attended Colgate University and Cornell University Law School, and specialized in International Business Affairs. His community activities include: Mercer Island Rotary, Boys and Girls Club Board, Church Vestry, PTA committee on Drugs and Alcohol, director and volunteer cook at the Compass Center for the Homeless in Seattle and the Washington State Land Bank Advisory Committee.

He is married with three grown children, lives on Mercer Island with his wife and two step daughters; private pilot, enjoys sailing, cross country skiing, scuba diving.

"The Port is supposed to generate JOBS and economic growth"

INSTEAD:

The Port has increased PROPERTY TAX col-

lections from KING COUNTY TAXPAYERS over 30% over the past six years.

Seattle's share of Puget Sound shipping DECLINED over 10% while Tacoma's share increased 17% ('87-'91).

The Port has engaged in questionable and costly real estate projects, including plush waterfront offices for the management. These do little for the economy.

The cost of the proposed third runway is unknown but may be one billion dollars. The source of funds to build it is unreliable and the benefits very questionable. We need a regional approach that does not put the burden solely on the taxpayers of King County.

I will use my experience to refocus the Port on cost effective investments that create JOBS and stimulate the economy. **I will oppose any increase in property taxes.**

HELP ME CREATE AN ECONOMIC SUCCESS STORY AT THE PORT.

VOTE FOR GEORGE TAMBLYN

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**Chuck
BOOTH**

These are exciting times! Auburn is at the crossroads of change, facing such issues as the supermall, the race track, growth management, regional transportation and comprehensive planning. Chuck is committed to meeting these issues head on while working hard to preserve that which has made Auburn what it is today...a good place to live, work and raise a family.

Chuck Booth recently concluded 17 years as Deputy Superintendent with Auburn Schools. His training and experience make him an outstanding choice for Mayor. He completed his bachelor and masters through Central Washington University and advanced studies through the University of Washington.

Chuck has always been involved with our community. He currently serves on the Board of Auburn Youth Resources, Auburn Chamber City Government Committee, Group Health Human Resources Committee and his church Board of Trustees.

Chuck will come to the office with an open door, a strong desire to listen and a sincere commitment to the community and its people. He believes city government is best served when it is responsive to the needs and concerns of our citizens. He will promote your trust in city government and the integrity of the city decision-making process.

YOUR VOICE WILL BE HEARD.



**Pat
BURNS**

Pat Burns has a proven record of leadership as a tough, smart and honest elected official. During ten years on the Auburn City Council, Pat helped lead the effort to adopt a strong Comprehensive Land Use plan to protect neighborhoods and preserve Auburn's family character.

Pat's accomplishments include eight new parks (including Game Farm Park), additional police officers and reduction in crime; additional fire-fighters and increased response time; miles of widened and improved streets. Pat's conservative fiscal policies have helped produce ten balanced budgets and ten clean audits (no other city in Washington can make the same claim) — pinching pennies isn't glamorous, but without it our taxes would rise.

Pat is especially proud of his record of never surrendering to special interests. He makes decisions based upon what is in the best interests of all the citizens of our community, not a privileged few. Auburn can't afford to wait for the mayor to learn his job. Please join us in supporting Pat Burns for mayor.

Pat has degrees from the University of Washington and the University of Puget Sound School of Law. He and his wife of 23 years, Mary Jo, have two children.

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**Stacey
BROTHERS**

Stacey Brothers has a long and distinguished record of public service. He currently serves on the Auburn City Council, chairing the city's Municipal Services Committee, responsible for police and fire protection.

He has previously served as chairman of the city's Finance Committee and as a member of the Public Works, Planning and Community Development Committees.

Brothers has also served on the city's Human Resources Board, the Fire Relief and Pension Board, the Law Enforcement Officers and Firefighters Pension and Disability Board, the Seattle-King County Health Services Advisory Council and as president of the Pierce County Health Education Coalition.

Brothers has two school-age children, is active in PTA and has served as a "classroom parent volunteer" for the past five years.

A graduate of the University of Washington, he is employed as a senior marketing executive for a major pension brokerage and administration firm.

Stacey Brothers is a member of the American Cancer Society board locally, the University of Washington Alumni Association and the Vietnam Veterans of America.

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**Jeanne
BARBER**

Jeanne Barber seeks your support for election to the Auburn City Council. Elected to the Council two years ago, Jeanne has proven to be a fast study. Chairing Auburn's Finance Committee, Jeanne has produced balanced budgets and asked the sharp, probing questions that quickly set her out as one of the Council's rising stars. From her position on the Municipal Services Committee, Jeanne was instrumental in instituting Auburn's Recycling program—a simple, unique and effective approach that is drawing attention from communities throughout the state. Concerned about public protection, during Jeanne's term in office the Auburn Police Department added four positions, including a detective specifically assigned to investigate crimes involving children and sexual offenses.

Jeanne has a strong record of commitment to our community's environment and land use planning. Jeanne's experience as legislative aide to U. S. Congressman Norman Dicks and later to Washington State Senator Frank Warnke has served her well.

Widowed, retired and living on a fixed income, Jeanne brings to the council a voice of compassion for people and a perspective of sound fiscal management. Please join us in supporting Jeanne Barber at the polls on November 2.

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**Michael
WEEKLEY**

Michael Weekley (40) has been an Auburn resident for the last fourteen years. He is married with two children that attend Auburn Public Schools. Mike is the owner of a small court reporting business. He was appointed to the Auburn City Council and has served in that position for over one year.

As a member of the Council, Mike has been a key member of the Finance Committee. His conservative approach to City finances has left the City in excellent fiscal health while maintaining low tax rates, providing excellent City services, and ensuring future growth and services will be provided. While serving on the City Council, Mike has played important roles in major decisions that have impacted our community. His knowledge of Growth Management makes him capable to lead in the areas of transportation, public safety, land use planning, and long range goal planning for the City of Auburn. Mike Weekley is committed to maintaining excellent police and fire services, creating safe and efficient streets for our motorists and children and most importantly maintaining the character and integrity of our neighborhoods. He would appreciate your support in continuing to guide Auburn in the years ahead and preserving the unique identity of Auburn.

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**Virginia
HAUGEN**

A resident of Auburn for 30 years, I worked with the Auburn Parks Commission to get voter approval for the Game Farm Park; founded Neely Mansion Association; served on the Auburn School District Health Services Committee, and have been on the boards of various non-profit organizations. I organized opposition to Conditional Use Permits in single family neighborhoods, traffic revisions that threatened the safety of motorists and pedestrians, and joined others forcing the Mayor, the Chief of Police, and the City Council to reduce crime on our city streets. Contrary to statements from my opponent, Auburn's financial stability and reduction in crime are due to a strong tax base and action taken by the Council and city administrators before he was appointed to the council.

With 18 years in business management, audit, and manufacturing, I am qualified to work with you and for you on Auburn's City Council and have every intention of making our Mayor and department heads accountable for the kind of public safety, road maintenance, and public facilities you and I want and deserve.

At the same time, I will be working toward better relations between our business community and the 'powers that be' at City Hall.

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**Richard E. (Rich)
WAGNER**

Living in the Auburn community for 15 years, Rich Wagner has been involved as a neighborhood leader, Planning Commissioner, and for the last four years, as a City Councilman. An Eastern Washington native, he has lived in the Puget Sound area for 25 years.

He has championed neighborhood preservation and good transportation, which he believes are critical parts of sustaining Auburn's quality of life. Rich has helped keep the City's activities coordinated with the School District's where he and Kay have seen their four children receive an excellent education. His engineering background is evident in his thorough approach to dealing with government issues.

Frequent visits to the Auburn Senior Center have kept him sensitive to the needs of older citizens and sharpened his appreciation of the City's heritage. He has worked to bring more jobs to Auburn, encouraging new businesses that will provide careers for local people. An active outdoorsman, he strongly supports sensible protection of our environment.

He has focused the City's energies toward serving the people who already live and work in Auburn, and when dealing with other cities, counties, agencies, state and federal governments, Rich Wagner has been a firm advocate for Auburn.

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**Sam
YUN**

Federal Way needs someone who has plenty of experience in decision-making and in business management. Sam Yun has twenty years of business management experience and several years in community activity involvement.

Since I immigrated from Korea, I have been blessed so much for what I am today. Now is the time to give back the blessings to this country.

I have lived nine years in Federal Way, and have raised two children here. I also plan to make this my permanent residence.

I care about the quality of our life and growth of our community, and I have a few priorities for the city: 1. Parks for more ball fields: Furnish more ball fields for the youth to enjoy. 2. Neighborhood Traffic Control: Operate more effectively the police services in the neighborhood. 3. Taxes and Environment: Preventing wasted tax dollars, preserving natural resources, fresh air, clean water, parks. 4. Carefully Controlled Growth: The city needs controlled growth, traffic, crime, and city's impact on the local environment. 5. Bridging Communication Gaps: Gather unheard messages, views, concerns from poorly represented areas and reflect them on the decision-making tables.

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**Hope
ELDER**

Hope Elder and her husband, Sam, have lived in Federal Way for 14 years. During this time their children, Ruth and Sam, Jr., attended the Federal Way School District. As a community leader, Hope has served six years on the Federal Way Community Council, (having served as secretary, vice-president and the last two years as president). Hope has participated in organizing the annual Federal Way Family Fest, and served on the Federal Way Women's Network, Federal Way Family Funland and the Federal Way City Logo Committee. Her past involvement includes the Goodwill Games, Special Olympics yard sale and activities in the Federal Way School District. In addition to her family and community activities she is also an entrepreneur and small business owner. She believes that business and other community interests must be balanced. Hope is very concerned about the transportation system in Federal Way. She supports mass transit and opposes the third runway at Sea-Tac Airport.

Hope will continue to work for the development of community centers and other recreational facilities for young people and seniors. She will be opposed to purchases that do not benefit all the citizens of Federal Way.

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**Mahlon (Skip)
PRIEST**

Today I am providing Council leadership on the issues important to you and our community: fiscal responsibility, traffic and neighborhood traffic safety, opposition to the third runway at Sea-Tac and modification of the 4-post plan, reopening Redondo Road, and the development of sports fields for our children. Leadership makes the difference and that is why I am asking for your vote on November 2nd.

I have also met my commitment to public accountability. Through my neighborhood calling program, I have spoken to over 1,800 citizens in every neighborhood in our city. Together, we have discussed the issues and shared our ideas on the best way to address them. We have also identified and solved many of the smaller problems that plague us such as placing stop signs to protect our children and clearing plugged catch basins that threaten to flood a neighborhood. These issues are as important to our quality of life as the major issues affecting our city.

As a Cub Scout leader and Kiwanis member, I strongly believe that the Council must work with community groups, the business community and our citizens to make Federal Way a better place to live. Together, we can make a difference.



**Lyle W.
WHIPPLE**

If you want value added to the city council, then your choice is Lyle Whipple. His commitment to excellence, his creative ability and leadership style will bring positive results. He is sensible, realistic, a listener and respected for his honesty and integrity. He believes in total community representation. Being a single parent he understands the burden of taxes and will fight for their limitations.

He promotes a balanced system of growth, business, industry and community development. Lyle believes we must promote community involvement, availability of parks and recreational facilities as well as facilities for our elderly.

He believes we have the potential and resources to make Federal Way a World Class center for Sports and Recreation. A place where our youth can fulfill their dreams. Where their energies, ambitions, talents and skills can be properly developed and channeled, through participation and jobs.

He will work toward making Federal Way a safe, clean and respected city. A place we can be proud to call home. Vote for a man with a realistic vision. Its, your choice.... Lyle has lived in the community for twenty-five years, he knows the concerns and issues.....and will work for you.

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**John L.
CAWLEY**

This is a message to you from me to help you get acquainted in a small way with me as a neighbor and encourage you to support me for position #6 on the Federal Way City Council.

It is difficult to express on paper to you what I stand for, but I will tell you a little of my beliefs. I am a father of three children and husband to a beautiful wife. We are members of Christian Life Assembly Church.

There is in all of us a need for family values and ability to get along with our neighbors. Let's strive for that. Today's cities are easily taken over with runaway government and we should all want a little say in our cities growth. Let me be a representative of you. If elected that is exactly what I want to be is your representative. In conclusion with this thought...we (you and I) can make a difference.

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**Phil
WATKINS**

A common sense approach to government coupled with a demonstrated commitment to our community make Phil Watkins an exceptional candidate for the Federal Way City Council.

Phil believes Federal Way incorporated in 1989, not because voters wanted higher taxes and more government, but because we wanted something done about growth and traffic.

As a council member, Phil will fight to limit spending and oppose imposing new taxes without a vote of the people. But equally important is the city's need to manage growth, transportation, land-use and zoning to make it an attractive place to work, shop and live.

Phil opposed recent City Council actions that weakened land-use regulations, shrank landscape buffers between residential and commercial zones and raised appeals fees, leaving government less accessible.

Strong neighborhoods are the key to reversing Federal Way's growing crime problem. Working with the schools, Phil favors the city's taking leadership in strengthening neighborhood identities and emphasizing our individual responsibility for community safety.

In June Phil finished a 3-year term on the city's land-use Planning Commission, serving as its first chairman. He is a member of the county's Open Space Citizen Oversight Committee, working to preserve park land county wide.

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City of Kent

LOCAL FOCUS: The City serves 40,300 citizens, but provides municipal services to the greater Kent area which encompasses about 130,000 residents. Kent is unique because it's in the geographical center of the region's economy being within 20 miles of two large cities, two interstate highways, an international airport and two seaports.

MAYOR



**Jim
WHITE**

Five generations of the White family have lived in Kent. My wife, Edna, and I have raised our family in Kent, and our grandchildren live here. Our family business has an outlet in Kent. It is easy to see why I want to serve as Mayor of Kent.

I have served on the Kent City Council for ten years, helping to maintain the family environment and business climate that we enjoy. I have some ideas for our city that I think would make it an even better place to live and work.

I want us to provide the highest level of police and fire protection for our citizens. A city government has no greater responsibility.

I want us to work, in partnership, with county, state, and federal governments to provide better transportation corridors. Our city streets should not be major arterials for commuters.

I want us to get our city budget in order. The City of Kent has to live within its means. We have to remember that it is our citizens' tax dollars that pay the bills.

That is a part of my vision for Kent. I ask you for your vote so that I can serve as your Mayor.

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**Leona
ORR**

I have been a Kent area resident for 28 years. My husband, Jim, and I purchased our East Hill home 7 1/2 years ago and I became an active participant in City Government.

When I successfully ran for City Council in 1989 my biggest concern was the seemingly unrestrained growth of multi-family housing. During my term, I have successfully supported new planning policies and zoning regulations which will prevent that pattern from continuing.

Having managed a small business for over 10 years, I understand the challenges facing business owners. I will look for ways, such as the Downtown Partnership, to encourage new and diverse businesses to locate throughout Kent and provide a stronger employment and tax base.

I will support existing successful youth programs and seek new ways to provide the best opportunities possible for our future leaders. Whether at home, work or school, in parks or on our streets, residents must feel safe. Public safety will be a top priority.

Taxpayers are not an endless source of money. I know how to live on a budget and expect the city to do the same. As your Mayor I will continue re-organizing to provide the most efficient, cost-effective city government possible.

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COUNCIL POSITION 2



**Jon
JOHNSON**

Jon Johnson, his wife Esther and their three children have lived in Kent for over twenty years. Jon is chairman of the Elders of his church, and active in coaching youth sports.

While Jon is only 37, he has served the citizens of Kent for sixteen years as a member of the Kent City Council. Jon has been instrumental in closing two landfills, establishing a successful recycling program, building a senior center, two golf courses, several new parks, streets and bus routes.

A new library and police station, plus three new fire stations have also been built to serve our community. Jon has established new bike paths, sidewalks and pedestrian signals. Yet Kent remains a city which has lower taxes than other cities.

Jon Johnson believes in involving citizens in the decision making process. Before he makes decisions, he wants your suggestions and ideas. Jon supported our right to question decisions made by the Council by giving us initiative and referendum powers.

Jon is committed to keeping our neighborhoods safe and from unwanted development. Jon will continue to support human services and cultural arts programs.

With your vote, Jon can continue to make Kent a better place to live, work and play.



Candidate did not submit a statement or a photograph.

**Rodger
CAMPBELL**

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**Tim
CLARK**

A native Washingtonian with years of community involvement, I have spent the past twenty-five years in the state's public school system, and currently teach at Kentridge High School. A graduate of Seattle University, I earned a Masters Degree at Pepperdine University and currently serve on Kent's Human Services Commission.

Kent's challenges include addressing the needs of our youth and senior populations, public safety, and a viable transportation network. Maintaining quality police and fire service in times of economic uncertainty is a priority. Dealing with traffic congestion should include linking city resources with those from neighboring areas which contribute to our jammed streets.

We must deal with the city as an integrated whole. Balancing social needs with support for a solid economic base is today's challenge. Downtown revitalization must continue and small business owners supported and involved in the process.

My vision of Kent is one where public services meet the needs of the residents, growth comes in an orderly process with citizen input, and cooperation between city hall and the neighborhoods is a priority. The quality of our planning now will determine the quality of our city's future.

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**Russ
STRINGHAM**

KENT IS A GOOD CITY! But it has the potential to be a GREAT city! The raw material is here; a solid economic base, excellent demographics, a strategic geographic location and a talented group of city employees. But these resources are not living up to their full potential because they are underutilized. In business, the goal is to maximize our return on available assets. By working together to apply these same principles to the management of our city, we can become the best there is - ANYWHERE!

As your councilperson, I will continually strive to do just that!

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**Christi
HOUSER**

Christi Houser, a 13 year resident of the City of Kent, has a proven record of responsiveness to neighborhood concerns and of effective action to solve Community problems. Christi Houser has been successful in providing many traffic improvements necessary to ensure the safety of children.

Christi Houser worked with others to successfully pressure Seattle to stop its dumping at both Midway and Kent Highlands Landfills. Christi was a leader in bringing recycling to Kent and at this time is working on a yard waste program for the citizens of Kent.

Christi Houser with other Councilmembers worked to get Senior Housing built, to provide parks on East and Scenic Hills and to develop and implement actions required to prepare a balanced budget. Some of Christi's goals for the next four years include support for families and youth, community pride in Kent and a sense of personal Safety and Security.

Christi Houser is a forthright person of unquestioned integrity, a concerned and committed councilmember. She is a member of many community committees, including Chairperson of the Drinking Driver Task Force, and Chairperson of the Finance Committee. We need an experienced, qualified person for Kent City Council position number 6... we need Christi Houser.

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**Connie
EPPERLY**

I have spent my life in Kent, attended Kent schools, played on Kent streets, and now, am raising my own school age children in Kent. This city is not only important to myself, but my family also.

Kent has undergone a lot of changes over the last decade. Changes that concern myself and you. As a response to your concerns I have decided to run for Kent city council. As citizens, we must be represented. I have been called a "citizens advocate" through my involvement with down zoning our area and working on Kent's Community Center project. I have involved myself with city process and procedures in efforts to help Kent citizens deal with individual problems. Together we can stop the stalemate at city hall. If you want to be responsibly represented in city government vote for a city council who cares and is concerned with the same problems you are. Vote.

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**Leonard
SANDERSON**

I have lived in the Fife-Milton area since 1937 and have been active in Milton government since 1962. My experience includes 7 years School Board, 10 years Planning Commission, 6 1/2 years Councilmember and 5 1/2 years as Mayor. My work experience includes Vice President of Rainier Bank and Security Pacific Bank with a staff up to 200 people and budget of \$20 million.

The Milton of today is very much a product of my support of projects such as Hidden Glen, Hill Tower Park, Heather Hills, Surprise Lake Square, Senior Center/Library, Fire Station, Milton Elementary Schools and Brittany Court. Building a desirable, balanced community is not a quick project, it requires consistent planning over many years.

Legal requirements and regulatory demands on Milton have increased greatly in recent years. At the same time Federal and State revenues are being reduced. This means we must operate more efficiently in order to meet the level of service that Milton citizens expect. I believe my experience uniquely qualifies me to manage our City for the next four years.

I am willing and able to devote full time to the position of Mayor of Milton and will sincerely appreciate your support. Thank you.



**Christine
GIRON**

As a member of Milton City Council, I have come to realize how much a city contributes to the quality of life that its citizens enjoy. As Mayor, I would like to enhance our community environment while at the same time work to successfully accommodate the changes our city is experiencing.

Milton enjoys a reputation for providing an exceptional senior program, neighborhood library, outstanding emergency services, and locally owned utilities. In years past, contributions by local citizens and city staff members helped to define Milton's unique community spirit. It is vital that we have a mayor who ensures that these valuable programs and resources are recognized and enhanced.

During my four years on the Milton City Council, the council and I have worked to pass legislation that has both expanded city services and addressed growth-related impacts. To continue successfully addressing these issues, I bring a commitment to Milton's future, and the willingness to work with our own city officials as well as neighboring jurisdictions.

My record on the Milton City Council reflects my ability to identify and facilitate successful decisions regarding our community's future. As Mayor I would welcome the opportunity to continue serving the citizens of Milton.

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**Vince
BUTTERFIELD**

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**Harley G.
EDWARDS**

My family and I have resided in the Edgewood/Milton area for my entire life. My wife and I attended Fife High School and now live on Taylor Street. We have been very involved in our childrens' lives by keeping busy with many activities. I am a superintendent for DBM construction where I work within tight deadlines and carry responsibility for my crew and my actions.

I believe strongly in family involvement in one's own community. Although I have been attending meetings for the past two years I would like to play a more active role in our city government. Our city needs fresh ideas on the city council. We need council members who are willing to listen to the people in Milton, especially our senior citizens who are responsible for building our community.

I will be able to make responsible judgements on political issues based on my constituents' beliefs and my own perception of the situation at hand. My goal is to live in a community where all citizens are treated fairly and active in decision making. We all need to get involved in upholding the strong community those before us have built.

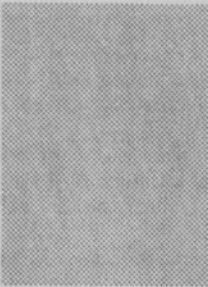
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**Ken
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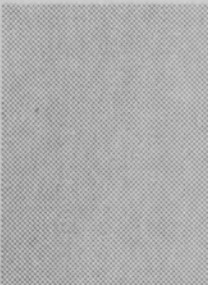
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**Tim
ALLAN**



I've lived in Milton for six years now and I LOVE this place—except for the many bumpy roads, some pretty weird developments and several eye-sores. I don't know how much difference one councilmember can make, but at least I've been involved with the political process after having been required to attend all council meetings and having prepared my department's budget as Court Administrator for the City of Fife.

If I am elected, I intend to carefully scrutinize the salaries of our City's employees to see that they are fair and equitable and to insure that we are getting our money's worth. I have noticed a steady increase in air traffic over our City and plan to explore that issue.

I am currently working for the Town of Steilacoom as a consultant/acting court administrator and for the City of Roy as judge pro tempore. I graduated from Central Washington University with a BA degree in Law and Justice.

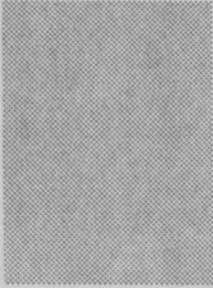
**Bonnie Ferguson
PAULSON**

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**Gene
BORGOMAINERIO**

"Milton needs a councilman who has a proven commitment to this community. I am someone who understands the city government process, who realizes the need for controlled growth and development, and is aware of the complicated issues that face a small, but growing city. I am willing to tackle the responsibilities needed for tough decision-making.

"The overburdened taxpayer needs someone who understands budgeting and fiscal responsibilities. As a ten year resident of Milton, my involvement with the community, such as school board member, President of the Junior Football Association, PTA member and Chairman of the Milton Planning Commission has enabled me to meet many citizens and listen to their concerns and ideas.

"I am the best person for Position 5 because my 25 years in managing multi-million dollar sales, marketing and purchasing budgets bring the expertise, knowledge and abilities needed to effectively represent the citizens of Milton."



**W. Joe
BELTZ**

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**George
SAVAS**

During the past two years, I have been an important part of the very successful "team" of councilmembers that you elected. For the first time in many years, we have been able to move forward and make positive advances toward building a more effective and efficient city government. Because of this, we have been able to make improvements to virtually all city services, and more are planned or are already in the works. We have opened lines of communications between ourselves and our surrounding communities of Algona, Milton, Auburn, and Federal Way, that were not pursued in the past. Also, we have been more involved with both King and Pierce County planning for us and our adjoining areas.

My job for the next four years will be: • To continue work on our comprehensive land use plan update, • Water system improvements, including an additional water source and a larger water storage tank, • More City Park improvements and investigate sites for more parks around town, • More street improvements, to comply with our street plan, and continue to set the pace for the planned future growth of our city.

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**Steven E.
SAYLOR**

Serving on the council this past two years has been a tremendous pleasure for me. When I took office I had three basic objectives: to staff our public safety departments at a level appropriate for the population base of the city, to expand our city limits and enhance our current tax base to better enable the funding of capital improvement projects, and to stem the proliferation of high density apartment complexes and poorly constructed developments that had become so commonplace in recent years. I am happy to say that we were successful in the first and third objectives, and are presently in the process of pursuing annexation of areas south of the city.

But beyond this, I found that the measure of a council's performance is in the day to day details. From judicious oversight of city expenditures, to the judgment and authority exercised in making land use decisions, to the resolving of concerns brought before the council. I hope that you have been pleased with the results made possible through the teamwork and harmonious relations inherent in this council. Two years have gone by awfully fast. I ask for your support in continuing what we have started.

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**Lorretta M.
FURTWANGLER**

Retired after 13 years in Alaska, being involved in many business and community related activities. Pacific city resident since 1986 on "west hill." Two years on city of Pacific Planning Commission. A white-haired grandma in tennis shoes, but a very active, concerned citizen with Pacific's future growth and management.



**Cheryl
BERTSCH**

Cheryl Bertsch has taken on the *business* of our city council as a very personal task. The public safety concerns of Pacific are most important. She works closely with both Chiefs of Police and Fire Departments as a volunteer and member of the Public Safety Committee. She was actively instrumental in making the move forward to hire our first full-time Fire Chief.

Cheryl wants to ensure that our city can effectively meet the safety needs and concerns of our citizens. As a council member, she has been doing this and will continue.

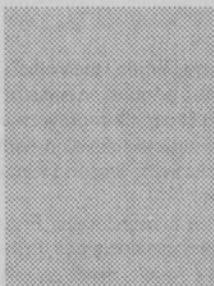
We want someone who will work with our citizens, for our environment to ensure a safe water quality and improve our already successful recycling programs. Cheryl Bertsch is active in these issues, as well.

Cheryl supports our Senior Center as a volunteer and is part of its continued success. As a council member, she has been and will continue to be a strong asset of this important facility in our community.

You, as voters, deserve to have a council member who works hard and has good ideas to bring to our city government. **CHERYL BERTSCH DESERVES YOUR VOTE.**

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**Monty
MONTGOMERY**

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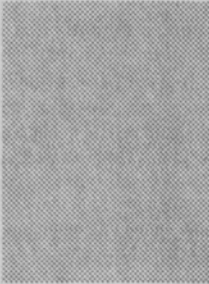
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**Jack A.
DODGE**

Jack has brought new energy and professionalism to the City Council and will continue in this tradition. He has worked as a team player with other members of the Council to continue providing a strong police force and providing for Pacific's first full time Fire Chief. He sees continuing growth for Pacific and the need to provide for quality growth. He believes that the Council needs to work closely with Pacific residents to determine the direction of its future growth. As such, a citizens advisory committee has been formed to help shape the future growth of Pacific. Jack is a professional City Planner and will continue to bring his expertise and experience to the Council and Pacific. Jack graduated from the University of Washington in 1979 and has a B.A. degree in Geography. He's lived in the Kent/Auburn area for over 30 years and has been a resident of Pacific for over three years. He is 38, married, and has two daughters.

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Enumclaw School District

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**Michael M.
STENSEN**

Two of the main reasons we moved to Enumclaw, 20 years ago, was that it was a good community to raise children in and had a good school system. I feel that it is very important that we keep it that way. I have the interest and experience to help lead Enumclaw schools into the next century. The two most important issues facing us will be to help all students reach their educational goals, and obtain the maximum value for our education dollar.

My wife, Margie, and I have had 11 children in the Enumclaw school system, 2 of them will be in High school next year and 6 have graduated. I have 12 years of experience in public office; 6 years on the City Council, and 6 years on the planning commission. I am currently Chairman of the Enumclaw Juvenile Court Conference Committee and have served with the committee for 17 years.

I am looking forward to the opportunity of representing you on the School Board. If you have any suggestions or concerns please feel free to contact me at 1309 Lafromboise or Phone 825-5408. Thank you.

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**Andy
WILLNER**

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**Ben
KODAMA**

BEN KODAMA, Highline School Board President, is a leader who listens to the public. He has rolled up his sleeves and worked for a quality education for ALL kids, ignoring none!

During his term, school administrators have been reduced which means more money is being spent directly on students. He has pushed for financial accountability by supporting a citizens' committee which independently reviews the district's finances. He has tirelessly fought for equity among our schools, lower class size, against discrimination, and for safer schools. We now have better communication with King County Police, a Security Steering Committee, and more after-school programs so kids have safe places to go.

KODAMA is a life-long resident of Burien, father of two, Highline High School graduate, attended WSU and Ohio State University, and owns Kodama's Greenhouses. He has been an assistant Scoutmaster, Boy Scouts of America; vocational instructor at South Seattle Community College; board director for Wesley Homes; plus more.

KODAMA has the needed experience to select a new superintendent and continue to push for improvement. He is endorsed by everyday working men and women along with community and business leaders.

A quality education for ALL kids - that's the KODAMA commitment!

KODAMA FOR ALL KIDS!

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**Michael
HANSEN**

Michael Hansen is an engineer with a B.S. degree from the UW and an M.S. degree from Harvard. He owns and manages a small company that builds industrial computers. Michael and his wife Margaret have been married for 25 years and have two daughters, ages 10 and 12, that attend school in the Highline School District.

Michael Hansen enjoys working with and for kids. He has been a co-leader of his daughters' Girl Scout troop for two years and has received the PTSA Golden Acorn award for his efforts on behalf of students at Seahurst Elementary.

Michael Hansen believes that the Highline School District has a number of serious problems which can no longer be ignored. National test scores have dropped dramatically from the 60th to the 48th percentile since 1987. District administrators have given themselves substantial raises while cutting services to students. Voters recently rejected two excessive school bond issues.

As a school board member, Michael Hansen would: 1) push for improved discipline and higher academic standards, 2) work to reduce the size of the District's costly administrative bureaucracy, 3) set higher ethical standards for District administrators, and 4) insist on reasonable bond issues that hard-pressed taxpayers can afford.

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**Mary
CLINE**

As a Highline School Board Member, MARY CLINE has worked long and hard as an advocate for our children. She's not just in the board room, she's in the classroom listening to students, parents, and teachers. She is a hands-on leader.

When it came to recent school boundary changes, Cline voted "no" because the administration didn't do their homework. When it came to our kids' safety, Cline voted "yes" to wearing bicycle helmets even though the administration recommended against it.

Cline has always been dedicated to providing our children with a top-notch quality education. Her record proves it! We need her experience as we search for a new superintendent. Her priorities include quality education for all kids; lower class size; gang, drug and crime prevention; fiscal accountability; and citizen input.

WE CAN COUNT ON CLINE! She is a native of Washington, resident of our community for almost 25 years, mother of two, and has a Bachelor of Science degree from the UW. She is very involved in her church, a local choral group, the Mountaineers, early childhood education, learning disability groups, and is president of the Legislative Committee for the Washington State School Directors Association. She is part of our community's heartbeat!

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**Susan
SANTIE**

I grew up in Lynnwood, Washington, and attended public schools. In 1975, I earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Recreation and Park Administration from Western Washington State University. I worked in recreation management before doing graduate work in Intracultural Studies at Talbot Graduate School.

I understand and appreciate cultural diversity. With my husband, Vic, I studied the culture, learned the language and worked in Indonesia for five years.

I am keenly and painfully aware of the situation in our schools. We have three children: a son at Cascade Middle School; a daughter at Beverly Park Elementary; and a pre-schooler.

Money is NOT the problem, the problem is how the money is spent. If an average of \$6,812.92. per year to educate 1 student is not enough, **JUST HOW MUCH WILL IT TAKE?** I'll get more money into the classroom.

Give the teachers back the authority they need to maintain classroom discipline, so they can teach and students can learn.

Please vote for me so I can represent you. I will work to sustain successful programs, fix failing ones, and abolish the absurd. We want smaller class size; neighborhood schools; accountable administrators and real results.

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**Scott
KASEBURG**

Scott has served on many Renton School Board appointed committees over the past eight years, consistently attended Board meetings, and spoken out on many subjects. He has participated on enrollment, curriculum, financial, and strategic planning committees.

Scott is 44 years old, married, with four children—two grown, one eighth grader and one third grader—as well as a grandparent. He will bring more than twenty years of management experience to the School Board. With Boeing for the past thirteen years, he was part of initiating Boeing's continuous improvement efforts and has served in senior management roles. Other assignments include marketing, engineering, and manufacturing management. He has degrees in Engineering and Communications.

Scott has developed a reputation in the Renton School District for clearly defining issues, obtaining data on complex problems, and suggesting solutions. He has served as a peacemaker between factions in the district, yet has also been willing to take stands on difficult issues.

Scott believes that we must work to draw students into the District. We must compete with aggressive, challenging programs that attract parents and students. This will take cooperation throughout the District. Honest and open communication are needed as well as strong leadership from the Board.

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**Bev
BARFIELD**

Bev Barfield brings over 22 years of commitment and involvement with children and the community to the School Board. As a current Board member, Bev has worked to find better means to ensure all students a positive, productive and meaningful experience in our schools. An active and committed Board member, she serves on the Federal Relations Network of the National School Board Association, as well as on committees within the District.

Bev and her family have lived in Renton for 24 years. She and her husband have two children who graduated from Renton schools. Currently, Bev is the Community Resource Program Manager for the King South Division of Children and Family Services. She serves on the Treehouse Board, raising funds for abused and neglected children, and is a member of the Renton STD Study Group.

"Through the combined efforts of the Renton community, we can make certain that our children have the opportunity, tools, support and environment to flourish and develop. As a Board member, it is my continuing goal that each student leave the Renton School District with the knowledge and skills that are needed for success in our rapidly changing society."

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**Dick
BURKHART**

Your son or daughter, granddaughter or grandson, will be working in a cutthroat global economy. Rapid change in technology and business is already a fact of life. Will he or she have the education and skills to find well-paid work? To be the one who is not laid off? To retrain easily for new work?

I have worked for several years with Auburn teachers on improving the mathematics curriculum. Too many students have had trouble learning math in the traditional way, and chances are, you, or one of your children, are among them. I taught for 7 years, then took my Ph.D. in math to develop computer codes at Boeing for 12 years, while my children studied in the Auburn schools.

Skill in technology and the "3 R's" is only part of the need. Boeing figures that it's very survival depends on better teamwork. This must start in the schools, with group projects and study where students can help each other, all can find success, and parents, as well as teachers, can help.

Teens adrift spell trouble: All teens need encouragement to join some extracurricular activity or community service.

Please join me in supporting more **technology, teamwork, and citizenship.**

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**Zane S.
WILLIAMS**

The youth of this great nation are our future. The Auburn School District can be a major resource to help young people prepare to lead productive lives. The District is faced with increased demands due to changes occurring in the family structure and increased demands on funds due to financial cutbacks in the midst of population growth in Auburn. I am anxious to continue serving on the Auburn School Board as part of the team of parents and teachers striving to best meet the changing needs of the community.

I love working with young people and have had many opportunities to serve as a youth leader. As a father of 4 children, I have an even greater commitment to help the children in Auburn develop into productive adults.

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**Therald (Ted) L.
LEONARD**

Rapid student growth, and increasing demands placed on the public school system by legislation and society will continue to be a challenge for the Auburn School District.

The uncertainty of state financing of public education requires experienced policy makers to make the hard decisions if we are to be successful. The present board has carefully and responsibly planned a building program which will greatly enhance the facilities in the Auburn School District. Continuity and experience are necessary to continue the success in this district.

Because of my experience on the board and my knowledge of education and private business in the community I can continue to provide the necessary leadership. As a board member I have been a strong voice in support of basic education and of educational excellence in all district programs. I believe education is the backbone of our democratic way of life. I will continue my work and my philosophy in the next four years.

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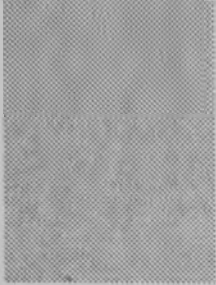
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**Alana (A.J.)
McIALWAIN**

I enjoy serving my community.

After raising five children and working full time, I realize it takes a commitment on the part of parents, mentors, students, and professional and administrative staff to become involved in making sure our students are given all the essential educational tools and learning support to be prepared for "life." I believe in lifelong learning and I am excited about the "Tahoma Learning Community" program.

In today's employment market, graduates who are skilled, self-motivated and flexible will succeed. Educating our students on the basics is still critical; however, the ability to adjust to the work environment requires specialized skills—computer training, environmental knowledge, life skills, etc.

I graduated from City University with a Bachelor's in Business Administration in 1985 and I am working towards completing a Master's in Public Administration at Seattle University. My husband and I own Professional Resources, a software training and personnel consulting company. In addition, I work for the City of Kent as an Administrative Manager where my responsibilities include managing projects, contract negotiations, finance/budget administration and community relations. I am a nationally accredited PHR (Professional in Human Resources).

I ask for your vote and hope you will support me in my efforts to be your advocate on the Tahoma School Board.

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**Zandra Jones
ROBERTS**

My strong commitment to public education and children goes back many years. I have been active both locally and statewide. In the last five years, I have assumed active leadership roles in a number of different organizations which advocate for children. As a past PTA president, legislative chairperson, and as a school board member, I have brought to the attention of our lawmakers matters which are important to education. As a member of the Maple Valley Community Center Board of Directors, I devote time and energy developing area youth programs. I currently serve on the Maple Valley Youth Coalition and I was chairperson of the Greater Maple Valley Summit Education Committee.

Prior to serving on the Tahoma School Board, I regularly attended board meetings. I commit 30 to 40 hours a week becoming thoroughly knowledgeable about the issues which we address in education today. The time commitment is worth it because as a taxpayer and parent, I feel it is vital to ask probing questions prior to making quality program and fiscal decisions which affect our entire community.

Consider my experience, involvement, dedication and commitment as you cast your vote for Tahoma School Board Position #2 on November 2.

CAMPAIGN MAILING ADDRESS: 21410 SE 248, Maple Valley, WA 98038 PHONE NUMBER: 432-9159



**Johanna
NAGEL**

My name is Johanna Nagel and I am a honors graduate of Tahoma High School, entering my sophomore year of college, where I am currently Green River Community College Student Body President. As a lifelong resident of Maple Valley, I have attended the Tahoma School District for thirteen years, and have developed a desire to serve the community and future students.

My recent experiences in the school district, and my interest and energy will benefit the School Board of District 409 by bringing a fresh outlook tempered by my strong traditional values. If elected, members of the community will find me to be not only a clear voice, but also an attentive ear.

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Tahoma School District No. 409, Director



As a father of three young children, I am dedicated to maintaining and enhancing the quality of education in the Tahoma School District. The MOST important factor for preserving and advancing any society is the education of our children.

As a business person, involved in the financial aspects of a large corporation, and familiar with the impact of the high cost of education, I will work to assure we get the best education for our tax dollars. I will make a positive difference in both the quality and cost effectiveness of our school district.

My position as a finance estimator for Boeing has given me experience in all aspects of finance for big business. Did you know that Tahoma's school budget is over \$33,000,000.00 this year? That certainly makes it BIG business deserving the expertise that I bring to the board. This expertise is needed to create a well-rounded board.

I can work with everyone in our school district, from you, the parents and stakeholders, to Dr. Heiser, the superintendent. We can bring together diverse opinions and views to work toward our common goal: Quality Education for Our Children.



**Joe
VREEBURG**

JOE VREEBURG
A FATHER'S HEART
A BUSINESS HEAD

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Educating children is the concern and responsibility of the entire community. We must all strive to ensure that our students are provided a successful and secure educational environment as it relates to programs, facilities and professional staff.

My commitment will reflect the same dedication I have given as a community volunteer and children's advocate in Maple Valley for 15 years. I have served on numerous committees and boards including Community Home Health Care, Tahoma's Housing Committee and PTA. I chair the Business for Tahoma Schools Foundation and serve as the community representative on the national Elementary School Consortium.

I have been part of the planning and implementation of TLC, the Tahoma Learning Community, a joint community school project offering expanded learning opportunities for children and adults. The wise use of tax dollars and full utilization of the tax-supported school facilities are vital to our community.

Our own children attend Tahoma schools. We want ours and all children to have a quality education. This is achieved when an entire community is focused on what is good for students. We must be a community that cares about children.

With your vote, I will dedicate my efforts to improving education in Tahoma.



**Barbara K.
KENNEDY**

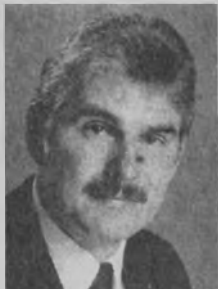
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Kent School District No. 415, Director

LOCAL FOCUS: The Kent School District encompasses 73 square miles in Kent and Unincorporated King County. Over 24,000 students are projected. It has 24 elementary, 6 junior high, 3 high schools and a continuation school. A broad-based community and staff task force developed a strategic plan that provides our focus into the 21st century.

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**Edward H.
KOSNOSKI**

I have had the pleasure of serving the Kent School District these past years as a school board member. I have also served the Kent community prior to becoming a board member. My years of community service gives me the background, training and expertise vital for an effective school board member. I made this commitment as a non-partisan and non-paid public servant and shared in the excitement as the Kent Schools became recognized as one of the very finest systems in the state. The district has tremendous accomplishments and is recognized on many occasions for excellence. I am seeking another term because more than ever education faces many new and different challenges. The district staff, school board, and parents must work together to meet these challenges as they arise. My experience will help continue the tradition of "Kent Educational Excellence" that Kent area families have come to count on and trust. Please give me your support. Together we can prove that every child can learn.



**Bill
BOYCE**

I have chosen to run for the Kent School Board to become more involved with education decisions that impact the youth of today. I thoroughly enjoy working with children and feel strongly that we owe them the best opportunity for a promising future. I feel that the problems facing our youth today can only be conquered with a partnership between public schools and the family versus the schools becoming a substitute for the family. As a board member I would stress the importance of parents being active participants in the education process. As a father of five children, the oldest in sixth grade, I have found staying involved with their school lives is crucial. I also believe the curriculum needs to be more related to the real world so that high school graduates can make wise choices for their future professions. I feel computer proficiency should play more of a major role in the school system. I also feel our classrooms should provide the tools to keep our students in touch with current technology. This can not only familiarize children with the use of these tools but can provide exposure necessary to perhaps spark interests in fields that students may pursue.

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**Sandy
COLLINS**

Kent's rapid growth and changing demographics demand appropriate changes by responsible leaders. Working with the entire community the School Board can develop programs that meet the needs of our children. Society has changed and schools must change also. We must: consider what is possible — be innovative and creative; continue to balance the needs and resources available by making good choices; be responsive to community concerns; develop and administer clear and fair policies; develop coalitions with other agencies to coordinate services for children; and participate in the legislative process to insure state support for quality education.

As your school board member, I am committed to my role as an advocate for children and public education. The School Board acts to insure that community expectations become reality by encouraging parent/community involvement. We must focus on success for all children now and in the future. Our children are an invaluable resource, and we must give them every opportunity to achieve their potential.

I look forward to the privilege of serving the children of Kent for another four years.

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Fire Protection District No. 37 Commissioner



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**Alice
MATZ**

I have lived in Fire District #37 since 1968. Currently I am Support Services Volunteer for the fire department and from 1978 to 1984 served as a fire commissioner and chairman of the board. As commissioner, I saved the district many dollars by having the district invest monies collected, with the interest going to the district, not to King County, thus helping to serve the citizens better.

I was on the provider board and raised funds to ensure our keeping paramedic services in South King County.

I also volunteer to raise funds for the Northwest Burn Foundation, "Help Firefighters Give Burns the Boot" campaigns, and volunteer in other Fire Prevention Programs.

I care about how our fire district tax dollars are spent and will do everything possible to make sure those monies are kept in the district where they belong. I am an average citizen with common sense who cares about giving you the best fire related services you deserve.

Thank you to the Firefighters, Paramedics and citizens who have supported me and will vote for me.

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**Jack H.
BRANDON**

I have been a resident of the East Hill/Covington area for over 25 years. During that time my wife and I have raised a family, I have been active in civic groups (such as Rotary) and I have successfully operated a professional orthodontics practice.

Through those activities I have been able to interact with members of our community on many issues. I believe my personal values, business experience and commitment to this community qualify me for the position of Fire Commissioner.

Our community has experienced phenomenal growth and is wrestling with a sense of how to better maintain our local voice in the way we are governed. The fire service is a critical element of government. I am concerned that as the community grows in population and age that we must be able to provide continued quality emergency services for medical emergencies, fires and special hazardous, such as hazardous materials.

My desire to fill the vacant position is a personal one to see our community continue a high quality fire/medical emergency response system. I am retired and able to devote appropriate attention to setting goals and policies that will continue to make this a special community for our families.

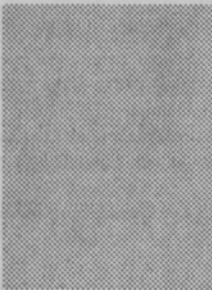
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Fire Protection District No. 39 Commissioner

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**William (Bill)
MARTIN**

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Fire Protection District No. 43 Commissioner

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**Mark D.
FERN**

I would like to thank the Maple Valley Community for allowing me to serve as Commissioner for the last 6 years. Our staff of highly professional firefighters, administrators and office personnel continue to perform their duties in a very competent manner. I will do everything I can to assure that this same high level of service is delivered effectively, efficiently, and at as reasonable a cost as possible. Our service to you is the best around. But its not easy, or cheap. We have a large number of dedicated, highly trained volunteers that are invaluable in maintaining our level of service and keeping costs down.

As the Community grows, so must the department. Community members are welcome to apply as volunteer firefighters. We need your help. And, we need your input. The Board of Commissioners meets on the first and third Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. We would like to see more of you. Stop by and see what's going on.

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Water District No. 111 Commissioner



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**Delmar
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Highline Water District Commissioner



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**Fred
CURCIO**

Resident North Hill, Des Moines 37 years; married 44 years, 2 children, 5 grandchildren; member St. Philomena Catholic Church, North Hill Community Club, Elks; Retired letter carrier technician; church and community volunteer, past YMCA youth leader.

Highline Water Customer. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve you.

Your water district has maintained a solid financial and operation position. With skilled management and cost effective operations it will remain this way.

We are steadily advancing our technical services — • A base mapping system has been installed to identify the hydraulics of the district. • A main cleaning program has been implemented to increase water quality. • Two additional field employees accelerate our malfunction meter replacement program which will reduce unaccountable water loss.

While new water sources look promising - I believe in ongoing education in the wise use of water, a leak detection program - and to hold the line on present rates as long as possible.

I am asking for your vote. I assure you my loyalty - a utility we can be proud of - one that works for you.

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**Ken
INGALLS**

This is my first experience at being a candidate for public office. It was my decision to run for the office of Commissioner in the Highline Water District because of the questionable tactics used by some of the elected officials and which have crept down the line to the employees of the district. Benefit of this election to rate payers is to replace/elect a Commissioner who is committed to work for Rate payers instead of joining the contest of individuals for power. People who pretend to be someone else, or take action with something less than total commitment never succeed and should never be on a board.

I will: work with holdover Commissioners as part of the team; be responsible for my decisions as a Commissioner; bring Commissioners' authority back from being questionable; work with District to adopt a workable and disciplined conservation plan as water must not be squandered; work diligently for rate stability by fighting unnecessary spending.

Some of my qualifications: 8 years in the Navy, World War II and Korea; Property Manager for rental property; Associate Broker, licensed State of Washington, Retired; VITA program and Tax Counselor for the Elderly for 10 years.

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Midway Sewer District Commissioner

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**William J.
KEMP**

The role of Sewer Commissioner, I believe, is to be a Good Steward of the Environment at the least possible cost! Experience includes: Midway Sewer District Commissioner for 19 years; Vice President of Washington State Water and Sewer Risk Management Insurance Pool; President, Washington State Association of Sewer Districts (1988); Metro Sewer Abatement Committee (1986-present); Member, Water Pollution Control Federation.

PERSONAL GOALS: Insist on efficient management to ensure maximum benefits with lowest possible rates; careful, long-range planning to ensure low cost, practical and environmentally safe wastewater collection and treatment services for future years; well qualified personnel to ensure efficient operation of district services for customers; maintain the excellent "A" rating the district now enjoys because of sound, fiscal management, and maintain positive relations with regulatory agencies, local government and the public.

Western Washington University graduate; Math Dept. Chair in Highline School District at time of retirement; resident in district 40 years; Married: wife, Marty, two sons, Bill and Jim, four grandchildren; MEMBER: Elks, Masonic affiliations; Life Member, Wash. State Pioneer Assoc.; Highline Retired Teacher's Assoc.; U.S. Navy, World War II.

IF ELECTED, I PLEDGE TO CONTINUE WORKING FOR THE BEST INTEREST OF THE DISTRICT AND THE PEOPLE THAT ELECTED ME!

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Cedar River Water & Sewer District Commissioner



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**Walter M.
CANTER**

We need additional water supply and leadership to get it. We face growth, new water quality regulations, over committed water rights, environmental mitigation, and political issues challenging our resolve to develop needed supply. State and local governments recognize my years of dedicated leadership in developing prerequisite regional water supply plans and their implementation to meet this challenge. As your commissioner, my continued commitment is providing leadership that deals effectively with these issues. A commitment ensuring our district has a voice, is compliant with state law, operates within budget, and provides safe, dependable and efficient service to you the rate payer.

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Federal Way Water & Sewer District Commissioner

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**Jerry
BERGMAN**

I am running because of my personal interest in my water sewer utility. As your commissioner I would call upon my experience as a Division Superintendent of operations for Burlington Northern Railroad. I was responsible for approximately 2500 employees and an average of 70 million dollars per year budget. My expertise is in the coordination of department designated projects. My management skills will be valuable in making sound decisions, improving morale, and making a first class operation second to none.

As a water and sewer customer I have strong feelings for the need for cooperation and service to the community. Our water sewer district should service all its users and I believe that at this time our district needs to remain a separate entity.

As a dedicated family man I have always sought the well being of those entrusted to me. In the past I have served my community through the Chamber of Commerce and several service organizations and served on the Governor of Nebraska select committee for overall railroad usage. I also served on the Admiral staff of the Pacific Fleet. As your water sewer commissioner I promise to fulfill my obligations to the best of my ability.



**Beverly J.
TWEDDLE**

Bev Tweddle has served the past six years as a Commissioner for Federal Way Sewer and Water District and is seeking re-election. A Washington native and eighteen year Federal Way resident, Bev has served 30 years in city, county, state and special purpose districts. Except for five years working for Governor Gardner, Bev's work life has been dedicated to the utility business.

A member of the South King County Ground Water Advisory Committee and the State Water and Wastewater board of directors, she understands that careful stewardship of our precious clean water supply is absolutely essential, and is a regional leader in developing cooperative solutions to safeguard our aquifers.

Bev kept her campaign pledge of six years ago by cutting waste while improving customer service and system maintenance. A longtime critic of city takeover of water and sewer operations, she says, "Government has to learn to do more with less. Ratepayers cannot fund ever growing bureaucracy and increasing costs."

While Bev believes that full debate of the issues is healthy, she strives for consensus and is proud of her accomplishments in improved teamwork among commissioners and staff.

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Hospital District No. 1 Commissioner, District No. 1



**Don
JACOBSON**

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Renton, WA 98056
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Big changes are coming in the delivery of healthcare services. We need a proven leader to help make the tough decisions that effect us all.

Don Jacobson believes in access to healthcare for all residents without fiscally handcuffing the hospital district or requiring some patients to significantly subsidize other patients. His experience in business has taught him about sound business practices. He believes it's possible to strive for cost containment without compromising the **QUALITY** of healthcare.

We all know that healthcare reform is imminent. Don wants to work to assure Valley Medical Center continues to be the Southend's premiere provider of healthcare services into the 21st Century by:

- Working to provide **ACCESS** to healthcare resources;
- Cooperating with other healthcare providers to help address **COST-CONTAINMENT** issues;
- Enhancing outpatient services and technology, home healthcare services and continuing advancements in non-traditional in-patient hospital services;
- Continuing to function as a "hospital without walls"

by creating new **OUTREACH** programs to deliver healthcare information and services to the entire community.

Don Jacobson has served his community long and well. His experience as an elected member of the Renton School Board for 14 years, Renton Rotary (past president), officer for the Seattle Labor Temple Association, trustee of Renton Technical College, and active involvement in scouting, PTA, Jaycees, United Way Board, St. Matthew's Lutheran Church (president of church council), Renton Library Board, Renton Ethics Committee and Renton Planning Commission will benefit all of us in this time of sweeping change in healthcare.

Don and his wife, Pearl, have lived in Renton for over 50 years. They have two sons and four grandchildren.

As a commissioner, Don will work hard to continue to assure that Valley provides the best patient care possible while making the most cost efficient use of funds available.

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